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WASHINGTON.

HE WANTS NO BENCH.

Knox Suited With His Place.

Does not Desire to Succeed Shiras.

Is Already at the Head of His Profession.

Six Cases of Plague in San Francisco—Japs' Claim on Islands.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] An intimate friend of Atty.-Gen. Knox said today, in commenting upon the report that the Attorney General will succeed Justice Shiras on the bench of the United States Supreme Court:

"I believe Mr. Knox would decline an appointment to the bench if offered him now or at any time in the near future. I cannot say that I know directly from the Attorney-General himself, but he is too ambitious, wealthy and restless a man in the affairs of the world to accept an appointment that would practically cut off his activity in the affairs of the world. He today is at the head of his profession in the United States, by virtue of the position he holds, and that position satisfies him, so far as holding office is concerned.

"I do not believe he cares for any further official honors, and I am sure he enjoys the opportunity for activity his present place gives him a great deal more than he could possibly enjoy a seat on the Supreme Court bench. I feel quite confident Mr. Knox will not succeed Justice Shiras."

PLAGUE IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Reports made to the United States Marine Hospital Service and published today show that since July 1 there have been six cases of plague in San Francisco, all of them resulting fatally. No comment is made regarding the progress of the disease, beyond publishing the figures.

WEEKLY CROP SUMMARY.

WEATHER WAS NOT FAVORABLE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The weekly summary of crop conditions issued by the Department of Agriculture says the week has not been favorable for the rapid maturing of crops in the northern districts, eastward of the Mississippi Valley, where it has been abnormally cool, with excessive rains in portions of the Missouri and upper Mississippi Valleys, while hot and generally dry weather prevailed in the Southern States, and the protracted drouth continues in the middle Rocky Mountain district. Drouth has been relieved in Washington, and generally favorable conditions prevailed in the Pacific Coast States, although the week was unseasonably cool in that region and showers interrupted grain harvest in Oregon during the fore part of the week.

Corn continues in very promising condition in the principal corn States in the more northerly portions of which, however, it has not matured rapidly under the low temperatures which prevailed during the week. Spring-wheat harvest is nearly finished in the Dakotas, and has progressed under favorable conditions in Northern Minnesota, but was interrupted by showers in the southern portion of that State, in which the crop generally has ripened slowly and unevenly. In Iowa, wheat in shock has been injured, and a large percentage ruined by wet weather. Harvesting was also interrupted on the North Pacific Coast but is well advanced in Washington.

The reports respecting apples are favorable from New England, Michigan, Kansas, Oklahoma and portions of Illinois, Ohio and Virginia.

CHINESE IN MEXICO.

MORE INSPECTORS NEEDED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Commissioner of Immigration Sargent has received information that large numbers of Chinese are arriving in Mexico for the purpose ultimately of crossing the border into the United States. Some time ago the State Department ruled that Chinese arriving at San Francisco en route to Mexico who could not establish their good faith in going to Mexico were not entitled to land. Since that time a scheme, it is said, has been evolved, looking to the establishment of a steamship line to run directly from China to Mexico, landing its passengers just below the American border.

Sargent will increase largely the force of inspectors at the crossing points on the Mexican border.

JAPANESE CLAIM ON ISLANDS.

TO BE PEACEABLY ARGUED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Japanese Minister Takahira said today, when asked as to the attitude of the Japanese government in regard to the Midway Islands and Wake Island, of which so much has been written lately that the Japanese had no intention to claim sovereignty over the islands, and that when the United States government made certain representations in relation to the Midway Islands in January, 1901, the Japanese government at once declared to the same effect.

It can be stated from authoritative government sources that the most satisfactory feeling exists between the American and Japanese officials as to the good faith of each and the prospects of harmonious adjustment of the question relating to Marcus Island.

ARMY MANEUVERS.

TIMED TO SUIT THE CHIEF.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The War Department has in course of preparation an order for the army maneuvers to take place at Fort Riley, Kan., in the latter part of September. The maneuvers will be timed to suit the President, who will review the troops that participate. Several thousand regular and volunteer soldiers will appear in the maneuvers, including two regiments of United States infantry, one regiment of United States cavalry, several battalions of United States artillery and the militia organizations of Kansas and Nebraska.

APPROVES LUMMIS REPORT.

INTERIOR DEPARTMENT ACTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Acting Secretary of the Interior Ryan today announced that the Interior Department had decided to approve the report of the Lummis Commission, which was appointed by authority of the special act of Congress to assist in selecting lands for the Warner's Ranch Indians.

Mr. Ryan would not say what the Lummis Commission had reported beyond announcing that it had recom-

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SHAW ON A TARIFF.

Secretary Talks to Vermonters.

He Doubts Wisdom of Pledging Candidates.

Doesn't Concede Protection is Mother of Trusts.

Removal of a Tax Upon Live Stock Would not Help Butchers.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MORRISVILLE (Vt.) Aug. 19.—Five thousand persons listended to Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw, who was the principal speaker at a Republican rally here today. Secretary Shaw lived here when he was a boy, and went to school here, and the residents of all the section roundabout came to hear him. He spoke in part as follows:

"I have been quoted as opposed to a revision of the tariff. I have never opposed readjustment of the tariff. Whenever Congress reaches the conclusion that the friends of protection are strong enough to conservatively modify certain schedules so as to meet changed conditions and at the same time successfully resist the efforts of the opposition to revise the entire tariff laws, thus paralyzing business for a season, I am in favor of it. I have expressed some doubt, however, about the wisdom of instructing by resolutions or exacting pledges from candidates for Congress, when the effect is liable to precipitate a protracted debate, with very uncertain results.

"I have never seen the time, since I have given public questions any consideration, that I would not reduce the rate on quite a large number of items, nor when I would not increase the rate on other items. It is not likely that any member of either house of Congress ever voted for a tariff bill entirely to his liking, nor is it probable that any President ever signed a bill that he would not have changed in some particular, had it been in his power.

"I am willing to concede that conditions change and that the old Morrell bill of the '60's, for instance, when the country was involved in war, would not be appropriate for us now, but I will not admit that the tariff is the mother of trusts, nor will I concede that a tariff for revenue only will destroy trusts on any other theory than that a fire in a wheat field will destroy Canadian thistles.

"The protective tariff is not the mother of trusts, though it is the parent of conditions that make it profitable for capital to combine and congenial for labor to organize.

"The Republican party in my State recently reaffirmed the tariff platform of 1901. This has caused considerable comment. It has been misrepresented, not quite as persistently, but in the same way, that the memorable speech of President McKinley at Buffalo has been misrepresented, misquoted, misconstrued and misapplied. This platform was unanimously adopted both years. It declares 'in favor of such changes in the tariff from time to time as become advisable through the progress of our industries and their changed relations to the commerce of the world.' Is there any one who is not 'in favor of such changes in the tariff from time to time as are advisable?'

"I am willing the jury shall be polled on that proposition. So say we all. It also declares 'in favor of any modification of tariff schedules that may be required to prevent their affording shelter monopoly.' Again, we all say, 'Aye, sir,' to that proposition. There may be quite a radical difference of opinion as to the truth of the implied admission that the protective tariff does afford shelter to monopoly, but there would be no difference of opinion about removing it, if it did afford such shelter.

"A few days ago, the butchers, in convention assembled, declared in favor of abolishing the tariff on cattle and meat to the end that this supposed shelter for the alleged meat trust might be removed; but I am disposed to think the good farmers of my State would vote quite unanimously against such an experiment. Suppose we take the tariff off beef, and then suppose the herds of cattle from Mexico and South America are brought in by the hundred thousand. They will find their way to the stock yards, and the butchers will be compelled to bid against the packers then, as now.

"No, the removal of the tariff on live stock and meat would not restore the butchers to business. It might ruin the farmers, but the packers could stand it; for nothing less than organized capital could enter the import meat business with packing-houses in foreign countries, refrigerating ships and other expensive equipment. I happen to know that at least one, and I understood two, of the big packing-houses have had men looking into the South American field for more than two years. The farmer, as it is, has ample reason to be appreasive.

"I have taken occasion to look this matter up since reading these resolutions, and I think I can find reason for the present price of meat other than the protective tariff: I find that there were received at the stock yards in Chicago in the one month of July, 1902, 65,000 less beeves and 170,000 less hogs than in the same month one year ago. That means 7000 less animals per day.

"The Q road alone, during the entire month, brought from the Southwest, where the corn crop was a failure last year, 1000 less fat steers per day this year than last. Let no one understand this to be a defense of the packer or an extenuation of their offenses. A suit is now pending against them, and if the allegations of the petition are sustained (and that seems probable,) they are going to have trouble, as it will take a very much more acute form than it would to say to the farmers of the United States that their industry shall be opened to competition from the unlimited ranges of South America."

The Secretary appealed for the election of a Republican Congress. Then, he said, let the Representatives from all sections of the country get together, "And if they can agree upon one or a dozen items in the present tariff schedule that can be reduced, let it be done, and done without three months acrimonious debate."

METHODIST PUBLISHERS

Plan for the Establishment in Shanghai of a Plant to Be Capitalized at One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The joint committee of the publishing interests of the Methodist Episcopal Church and Methodist Episcopal Church South recommended a plan for the union of all publishing interests of the two churches in China and Mexico. The plan is for the establishment in Shanghai of a publishing house to be capitalized at $100,000, only half of which, however, is to be collected at present. The ownership is to rest jointly in the Board of Managers of the Church Missionary Society and the Church Book Committee.

The Church South already owns a building in Shanghai, and the Methodist Episcopal Church owns presses and materials. These interests are to be utilized at a fair valuation. The money for carrying on the business already is in sight. There are to be six directors.

It is the policy of the two denominations to avoid in future all interference or duplication of equipment in foreign missionary work. As to Mexico, a plan has been approved for the consolidation of the Evangelista Mexicana, owned by the Methodist Episcopal Church South, and the Abagado Christiano, owned by the Methodist Episcopal Church, into a weekly paper to represent both churches. It is to be named El Apologista Christiano. No such harmony of interests between two denominations of Methodism has been seen since the church was divided in 1844, and it may be the first step in reunion. Bishop Charles H. Fowler is opposed to this, but there are others strongly in favor of it.

FUEL FAMINE.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 20.—The Post tomorrow will publish a story to the effect that a fuel famine is threatened for the mills in this district, and 50,000 men may be thrown into enforced idleness through the lack of coal and coke. The trouble comes from a scarcity of engines to move the loaded cars.

It is reported that on the sidings of the Baltimore and Ohio, leading into Pittsburgh from the coal and coke regions, there are nearly 5000 loaded cars. Many of these are said to have been ready for shipment for a week or more.

STRIKERS GATHER IN FORCE.

HAZELTON (Pa.) Aug. 19.—Strikers gathered in force today at the Klondike washery, in Park View, which has been in operation for some weeks, and drove back the men who reported for work, causing a suspension of the plant.

SLIPSHOD ACCOUNTS.

Kind of Books Kept at San Quentin.

Deals in Furniture not in the Records.

Interesting Facts Brought Out in Libel Trial.

Joseph Aguirre Has Defective Memory and Campbell Has to Prompt Him.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—Judge Fritz's courtroom was taxed to its full seating capacity when the suit of Louis P. Boardman against John D. Spreckels and W. S. Leake, publishers of the Call, for the libel of Gov. Gage was called. There was some delay at first, occasioned by the non-appearance of some of the witnesses in the case, and for a time it looked as if the attorneys for Spreckels and Leake would ask for bench warrants for the arrest of the Aguirre brothers and James M. Oliver, the secretary of the State Board of Prison Directors, but Oliver finally appeared on the scene, and being placed on the witness stand, resumed the testimony which was interrupted by the adjournment of court yesterday afternoon.

Oliver came into court bearing a large package—some of the books of his department. Questioned by Campbell, one of the attorneys for the defendants, Oliver stated that he had made a casual search for the quarterly reports of Warden Aguirre to the prison directors, and being unable to find them, expressed it as his opinion that the reports asked for by Campbell are in the hands of the Comptroller at Sacramento.

Campbell questioned the authority of Oliver or any one else to allow the reports to go out of his hands, and read from the rules governing the prison a section which apparently showed that Oliver had overstepped his authority in sending the reports to Sacramento. Oliver replied that he had followed precedent in the matter, asserted his ignorance of the rule indicated by Campbell, and said that he only kept in his possession copies of the originals.

District Attorney Whiting, who is conducting the case for the State, objected to the reports being introduced into the case at this time on the ground that a proper foundation for such proceeding had not been laid, and asked the court to prohibit questions touching on the reports until it had been shown that certain acts of the warden had not been properly recorded. Campbell replied that he had brought up the matter of the reports at this time because they had a bearing on the testimony of the future witnesses, whereupon Judge Fritz overruled the objection of Whiting.

Asked if he had ever heard of the sale of any furniture, upholstery, harness, etc., to persons outside the prison, or if it had come to his knowledge in any way that such sales had been made, Oliver replied in the negative. Oliver was then asked to produce his ledger, and to locate the personal account of Warden Aguirre, but explained that each department in the prison regime had its own account, and that his (Oliver's) ledger was made up from the cash book and journal, and that his books would only show the accounts in the aggregate. Campbell, by further interrogation, established the fact that the books of record kept at San Quentin were kept in a rather slipshod manner, and that Secretary Oliver had no record of any transaction in furniture, machinery or upholstering. Campbell drew out the fact that any transactions in furniture would come under the head of "jute," and that he (Oliver) had never seen any records of the disposal of the commodities asked about by Campbell, either as "sales" or as "gifts."

There being little evidence of importance to be gathered from the books brought into court by Oliver Campbell requested the court to issue an order instructing Oliver to bring into court all of the books of his department showing the transactions at San Quentin prison during the incumbency of Warden Aguirre, and pending his appearance in court with these books Oliver was excused.

Joseph Aguirre, a brother of Warden Aguirre, who designated his position in the official body of the prison as "overseer," was the next witness called. He explained that it was his duty to supervise the work of all of the departments of the prison, but explained that he devoted the greater part of his time to receiving money at the prison and to the work incidental thereto, and to the jute department.

Aguirre, though "overseer" at the prison, was unable, without prompting by Campbell, to name more than three of the departments which came under his official notice, the commissary, the jute and carpenter shop. Questioned as to the manufacture of harness at the prison, Aguirre said that there was no manufacture of harness at the prison except for use at the penitentiary. Asked if he knew specifically the kind and character of work carried on by the different departments, the overseer replied in the negative, but correcting himself, he added that work "may

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CLASSIFIED NEWS SYNOPSIS.

THE CITY. Four judges renominated by Republican County Convention. Oscar Lawler chairman....Redondo Electric Railway to be completed in sixty days....Chicago capital after Columbia mine....Knights of Pythias made happy here....Baseball season reopens today....Police salary ordinance signed by Acting-Mayor Powers. Traction Company seeks to make Huntington withdraw from Vermont avenue through injunction proceedings. Fist fight in Courthouse between Constable Henry Roemer of Downey and J. P. Squire, a temperance campaigner.

COAST. Slipshod methods at San Quentin disclosed in libel case before Judge Fritz....McCarthy declared insane....Important action taken by Pythians....California Limited train runs into a freight....Japanese cabin boy murders sea captain....Dorr's adventurous career....Young Men's Institute in session....Small fine imposed on Mrs. Collins.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Pasadena youth attempts suicide....Capt. Lasher, Soldiers' Home hospital steward, shot....Murderer McKinney located near Randsburg....Catalina seal hunter hurt by jumping lion....Long Beach fish overfed....Farewell to Whittier's aged pastor....Another falldown on Redlands bonds....Republican nominations in San Luis Obispo county. Tennis and ping-pong tournament planned at Redondo....Sugar-beet harvest in Orange county....Democratic nominations in San Bernardino....Riverside police find dynamite....Coldblooded murder at Tehachepi....San Diego Republican convention anti-"push"....Corona ex-soldier buried in uniform....Two burglaries in Santa Monica....Miner perished of thirst near Needles....Mrs. Lewis granted divorce in Santa Barbara.

WASHINGTON. Atty.-Gen. Knox does not care to go on Supreme bench. Affairs in the Philippines....Beveridge will call Committee on Territories together in November....Interior Department approves Lummis Commission report....Weekly crop summary....Order relating to army maneuvers.

EASTERN. Gates loses in fight to secure control of Colorado Fuel and Iron Company...Five lives lost in New York tenement-house fire....Justice Shiras to retire....Rose Coglan mistakes carbolic acid for a face lotion. Secretary Shaw discusses the tariff. Schwab denies that he is going to retire from presidency of Steel Corporation.

FOREIGN. Revolutionists occupy Cumana....Colombia may have trouble with England....Dutch enthusiastically receive Boer generals....Reported drowning of fifty Russian soldiers.

SPORTS. Smathers forfeits $8000 and does not take "The Abbott"....Return match for Root and Gardner....Racing summaries....Eastern baseball scores....Smash-up at Napa race meet. Gibbs defeats Thurston

FIFTY RUSSIAN SOLDIERS DROWNED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, August 20.—[By Atlantic Cable.] In a dispatch from St. Petersburg, the correspondent of the Daily Express says:

"During the maneuvers near here a squadron of cavalry was ordered suddenly to charge. It galloped into a river and fifty men are reported to have been drowned. Details of the affair are difficult to obtain."

GATES GETS BLACK EYE.

Judge Riner Refuses to Issue Injunction.

Battle for Control of Great Company.

Chicago Speculator Finds in Osgood a Foeman Worthy of His Steel.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

DENVER (Colo.) Aug. 19.—The John W. Gates faction of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company have lost another round in their battle for control of that company. Judge Riner of the United States District Court tonight denied their application for a preliminary injunction to prevent the present officials of the company from refusing to allow them to vote proxies they claim to hold at the stockholders' meeting, which is scheduled for tomorrow in this city.

The suit which was brought in the name of John J. Mitchell and others against the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company was based upon the alleged fraudulent and if so void by a law which was adopted by the board of directors of the company on July 30 last, and which the complainants charged was framed and adopted for the purpose of enabling the present officials of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company to dictate the action of tomorrow's meeting, and also to deprive the complainants and shareholders they represent by proxy to vote at such meeting.

Judge Riner held that the allegations in the bill of complaint were fully met and denied by the answer of the defendant company.

The application was made several days ago and a brilliant array of legal talent was represented on either side of the case. The courtroom tonight was crowded with spectators, among whom were the leading members of the local bar, who have watched the course of the battle with deep interest.

Gates and his friends listened attentively to the reading of the decision, and as soon as it was completed left the courtroom with their attorneys.

The gist of the claims of the Osgood faction, as presented to the court by Judge Beaman, follows:

Sixty thousand bona fide votes held by Chairman Osgood and his friends represent the majority of the real holders of Fuel and Iron stock. A majority of the proxies held by John W. Gates represent a gambling class not permanently interested in the company and secured by Gates by actual payment of money. This is contrary to the laws of New York. Some of the proxies may be forgeries, and in any event, the list is illegal, and should be thrown out. Osgood has repeatedly refused to conspire with Gates in turning the company over to the steel trust, and thus incurred the ill will of Mr. Gates.

A representative of the Associated Press saw Gates at the office of Wolcott and Valle, his attorneys, tonight, but Gates said he was not ready to give out any statement as to what his future plans were with reference to the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company.

The offices of Gates' attorneys presented a scene of activity. Typewriters were going rapidly, and stenographers were taking dictation behind closed doors. Gates was in consultation with Valle until late in the night. It is said that two separate stockholders' meetings will be held tomorrow, the one called by the present officers of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, and another by Gates and those he represents. Each will elect officers and transact other business, according to the report going around tonight.

John C. Osgood, president of the Colorado Fuel & Iron Company declined to be interviewed. He refused to say whether the regularly scheduled stockholders' meeting would be held tomorrow.

MUTINY ON STEAMER.

Crime Was Inspired by the Hope of Getting Treasure That Was Supposed to Be on Board.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MANILA, Aug. 19.—[By Manila Cable.] The following details of the mutiny of the native crew of the insular steamer Dos Hermanos which occurred at Fort Virac, island of Catandanes last Thursday, have been received. The crime was plotted under the leadership of the native boatswain. The mutineers purposed to steal $150,000, which they supposed to be on board.

The officers of the steamer were dining when they were attacked. In addition to killing the chief engineer and wounding the captain, the mate, the second engineer and a passenger, all of whom were Spaniards, the crew killed the steward and carpenter of the ship.

The members of the native constabulary who went to the rescue of the officers of the Dos Hermanos killed three and captured twenty-four of the mutineers whom they conveyed to Albay, Luzon.

FAST TRAIN DERAILED

Running at Rate of Fifty-five Miles an Hour—Narrowly Escaped Being an Awful Disaster.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEENAH (Wis.) Aug. 19.—The Wisconsin Central "St. Paul Flyer" was derailed shortly after midnight one mile west of Fremont, while running at the rate of fifty-five miles an hour. Nearly two hundred passengers were on the train, and all the coaches left the track except the rear truck of the last sleeper. The entire train narrowly escaped being precipitated over an embankment.

The cause of the accident is unknown, but probably was due to the spreading of the rails. Nine persons were seriously injured, and all of the passengers were badly shaken up. Among the injured were:

F. SCIMMERLY, Oshkosh; badly hurt about head.

MRS. M. DOUGHERTY, Oshkosh; severely bruised about body.

MRS. D. W. AGNEW, Waukesha; shoulder and knee badly bruised.

MRS. ANNA KIESCHOLD, Minneapolis; spine injured.

A. E. GROSS, Boston, Ill.; chest badly bruised and internally injured.

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BOERS IN THE HAGUE.

Generals Loudly Cheered as They Passed Through the City—Botha Acts as Spokesman for the Party.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

THE HAGUE, Aug. 19.—[By Atlantic Cable.] A public reception was accorded to the Boer generals on their arrival here today from Rotterdam. Gen. Eyter, in a speech, paid a tribute to their heroic deeds. Gen. Botha replied, expressing the appreciation of the Boer officers at the warmth of their reception, and referring to the consolation which it had been to them to know that while they fought, their women and children were being supported by Dutch generosity. The time, added Gen. Botha, had not yet arrived to make public all they knew, but probably at no distant date they would publish their account of the war.

The visitors were escorted in procession through the town in open carriages, and were everywhere loudly cheered by the crowds assembled. A number of Boers who served during the war formed a guard of honor for the generals.

KRUGER WILL ABDICATE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Aug. 20.—The correspondent of the Daily Mail at The Hague telegraphs that he is informed that at the approaching meeting between Gen. Botha and his colleagues and former President Kruger, the latter will formally abdicate his position as Afrikander chief, and hand over the reins and the residue of funds to Gens. Botha and Dewet, and Messrs. Fischer and Wolmarens, who were formerly Boer delegates. Wolmarens, according to the correspondent's information, will endeavor to dispossess Dr. Leyds, the European agent of the Boers, of the power of signing checks.

There are also rumors here, adds the correspondent of the Daily Mail, of an impending struggle for supremacy between Gens. Botha and Dewet.

[RAILROAD REC'D.]

ESPEE'S ANNUAL REPORT SHOWS A GREAT YEAR.

GROSS EARNINGS HAVE INCREASED OVER SIX MILLIONS.

Business of the Company Was Simply Limited by the Amount of Power Available—Company in an Era of Great Prosperity.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The annual report of the Southern Pacific, which will soon be issued for the year ending June 30, 1902, will show a most phenomenal year in the history of the company.

Advance official figures are to the effect that the gross earnings will be in round numbers $83,000,000, which is an increase over the previous year of more than $6,000,000. These figures are compiled by making an estimate of the earnings of June. The business of the company was simply limited by the amount of power available. Traffic in all classes of freight showed marked increase over last year, and had the company possessed additional power, still greater tonnage could have been handled.

The officials are of the firm belief that the Southern Pacific has entered upon a new era of great prosperity. The development of the great Southwest is having its full effect upon the earnings of the company, and this development shows no signs of retrogression.

The management of the company is taking every possible means to see that this development is aided and promoted. Steps have been taken to colonize vast areas of productive land in Texas, Louisiana and California, and the country through which the tracks run is filling up fast. It is largely because of this faith in the future of the Southern Pacific territory that the management decided, it is asserted, to make a bond issue of $100,000,000. Of this amount, it is said, fully $25,000,000 will be issued at once, with a view to making it available for improvements.

The work of bringing the physical conditions of the property up to the standard has been going on rapidly for several years, but an immense amount of money is needed for new equipment and additional power. It is hoped by the expenditure of large sums of money to place the company in a position to take full advantage of the enormously-increased traffic of the country tributary to the road.

KEEP HANDS OFF.

ALLEGED RAILWAY MERGER.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

JACKSON (Miss.) Aug. 19.—The Mississippi Railroad Commission declined today to authorize the State Attorney-General to attack the alleged merger of the Southern and the Mobile and Ohio Railroad companies. The commission declares that if the merger is illegal, the Attorney-General has the power to bring suit against the roads on his own volition.

POOR PETER POWER.

TAKEN TO COUNTY JAIL.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Peter Power, who was named as plaintiff in a suit brought to prevent the turning over of the stock of the Northern Pacific Railroad to the Northern Securities Company, arrived here today from Montreal, accompanied by George Alfred Laws, the attorney in the suit against the Northern Securities Company.

Power was sentenced to thirty days imprisonment recently for contempt of court in refusing to obey a subpoena ordering him to appear and testify in the proceedings begun in his name.

Power surrendered himself to United States Marshal Menkel and was taken to the Ludlow street jail.

A hearing in the proceedings, at which Power was to have testified was set for today, but was adjourned until Thursday.

SIX DIE FROM BURNS.

Pouring of Kerosene from a Can for Purpose of Igniting a Fire Has Terrible Result.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

GERING (Neb.) Aug. 19.—Six persons have died as a result of burns received last night by the bursting of a kerosene can which was being used to ignite a fire at the home of C. N. McComsey. The dead:

C. N. M'COMSEY.

MRS. C. N. M'COMSEY.

Infant child and two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. McComsey.

Two daughters of L. A. Cook, a neighbor.

THE PHILIPPINES.

AFFAIRS IN THE ISLANDS.

Cascoes Give Way to Steam Barges.

Views of Capt. Ryan on Water Cure.

Rufino a Menace in Mindanao—Assassins Kill Americans.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Manila newspapers received on the incoming Philippine mail at the War Department contain important information concerning affairs in the islands.

It is reported that the cascoes which have been used so extensively in the Philippines as lighters are to give way to steam barges and be themselves relegated to the canals. This change, it is said, marks a new era in the history of lighterage in the islands. Cascoes figured in the last transport scandal in the archipelago, it being alleged that their tonnage was exaggerated grossly for dishonest purposes. The new steam barges which supersede them were built at Cleveland and New York.

Lieut. Hiskan of the First Cavalry is to be the next officer subject to a court-martial. He is one of the men against whom Maj. Cornelius Gardiner made charges. One of these charges is that he practiced medicine without a license, the specification being that he administered stimulants to natives in the province of Tayabas.

The papers are full of reports of the trial of Capt. Ryan, who was charged with administering the water cure. Ryan was defended by Maj. Glenn, who had been under similar charges. Capt. Ryan, in his own defense, used this language:

"Did my sticking the heads of these treacherous, lying native office-holders into a pail of water, thereby washing away an impediment in their speech, constitute a greater crime than treason against the flag and the soldiers who defend it?"

Ryan was criticized by Gen. Chaffee on account of a report he made regarding Judge Rhode, but Gen. Davis, who received the report, agrees with the main facts as presented by Capt. Ryan. He regretted Capt. Ryan's sneers at Judge Rhode, and his defiant attitude toward Gen. Chaffee.

Of the conditions in Misimas province, Gen. Davis takes the same view as Capt. Ryan. He said that Rufino, whom Ryan disciplined, was as much a menace in Mindanao, as Lukban in Samar or Malvar in Luzon. Gen. John P. Sanger, who reviewed the case of Ryan, practically acquitted Ryan of all charges.

During the testimony, Lieut. Elliott of the Thirtieth Infantry said that each town in Mindanao had a band of assassins, whose duty it was to kill any one holding communications with the Americans.

The celebrated Gardiner investigation had come to an end at the time the last mail left Manila, and it is stated that the record and report on the case will be forwarded to Washington for consideration. Gen. Chaffee would ordinarily be reviewing authority, but his last reports to the War Department were to the effect that he would review the case if possible, within the time he had at his disposal. He then had under consideration the Moro campaign which has occupied his time, and he has probably now forwarded the Gardiner papers to this city.

An account of the doings of Capt. Q. J. Pershing of the First Cavalry, who is just now figuring in the disturbed districts of Mindanao, states that he has proved a diplomat with a majority of the Moros, but that nothing could be done with the Moros in the Bacolod district. One of the sultans said to Capt. Pershing: "The Bocolod Moros have deceived you in saying they wanted to be friends, as I know many of them are lying along the road waiting to attack the Americans."

Capt. Pershing undertook to ascertain the condition of Bacolod, and was informed by the sultan of Bay Cauan that there were three forts, all of which were strong. The people had been strengthening them by lining them inside and out with stone, so that the projectiles of the Americans could not penetrate. He said that Bacolod had 300 men, but if the Americans went there the Moros adjacent would assist in the defense. Other native chiefs informed Capt. Pershing that the Sultan of Bacolod would kill them (the native,) if he knew they had been on friendly terms with the Americans.

The paper of the latest date states that many troops were being sent to Mindanao, and that it was the evident intention of the government to occupy the country around Lake Lanao, which would require a considerable number. It is said that the health conditions in this region were perfect, and that soldiers could stay in such a climate and enjoy all the delights of Camp Meade, Pa.

The board of health of the city of Manila has decided to rid the city of infection. The cholera, which has been raging in that city, is responsible for the determination, and every unsanitary building is to be destroyed. An estimate is made that it may cost half a million dollars to carry out this plan. It is said that there is a clash between the Americans and Filipinos in handling the cholera epidemic. The Filipino health officers are said to be more or less a failure, and it is therefore probable that the ideas of the Americans will be carried out.

INSANE FARMER'S CRIME.

Deranged by Financial Worries Joseph Anderson Drowns His Four Children and Then Shoots Himself.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SALINA (Kan.) Aug. 19.—Joseph Anderson, a farmer, living near here, in a fit of despondency, today drowned his four children, three girls and a boy, in a cistern, and then shot himself with a revolver. Anderson is still alive, but will probably die. Financial matters had affected his mind. The crime was committed during the absence of the mother. The oldest child was six years of age and the youngest a babe of four months. Anderson left a note on a table in the parlor notifying the mother that the children could be found in the cistern.

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PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A cold northeast wind, which kept the thermometer in the low sixties all day, shifted suddenly at nightfall to the northwest, and blew up one of the worst thunderstorms of the season, which was accompanied by a most brilliant electrical display. Lightning struck a house in the southwestern part of the city, but none of the occupants were injured, although the house was destroyed by fire. Temperatures at 7 a.m.: New York, 68; Boston, 64; Philadelphia, 78; Washington, 72; Chicago, 66; Minneapolis, 56; Cincinnati, 70; St. Louis, 70.

MATCHED WITH ABEL.

Abe Attel, the San Francisco featherweight, has been matched for a contest to take place here against "Kid" Abel. The featherweights have signed articles of agreement to meet at a six-round contest at 128 pounds, weigh in at 3 o'clock, under the auspices of the American Athletic Club, August 25. Attel succumbed to Benny Yanger's onslaughts in a nineteen-round mill, decided at St. Louis about three months ago.

SCHWAB TO TAKE TREATMENT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ALTOONA (Pa.) Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Charles M. Schwab, president of the United States Steel Corporation, will depart for Europe at once, it being his intention to take a course of treatment at the Mineral Springs of France.

MARRIED ON DEATHBED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LAPORTE (Ind.) Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] News reached here from Manila today that Prof. Rudolph Zumstein, brother of Rev. Hans Zumstein of this city, had died of cholera. He was married on his deathbed to Miss Juliette Williams of Denver, Colo., to whom he was engaged before he accepted a position in the schools of Manila. Miss Williams reached his bedside forty-eight hours before his death.

CARRIER PIGEON RECORD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DUBLIN (Ind.) Aug. 19.—The world's record for carrier-pigeon flying over a distance of 1000 miles was approached within five hours by Alexander, a pigeon owned by Peter Bileus of Mishawaka. The pigeon was released at New Orleans, and arrived in Indiana this morning, after a flight of fifty hours.

WANTS HIS COMMISSION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RACINE (Wis.) Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Nathan E. Manzer, an old resident of Racine county, today began a suit against Edward E. Bailey, son of a retired farmer, to recover $1090 which the plaintiff alleges is due him on a contract for introducing Mr. Bailey to Mrs. Calvin Peck, a wealthy widow, whom Bailey married.

COL. EWERT RUN OVER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Theodore Ewert, assistant adjutant-general of the State, was run over by a buggy at Sixth and Adams streets this morning and was severely injured.

COUNTERFEITER'S PLANT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. PAUL, Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A counterfeiter's plant, containing $500 in spurious money, was unearthed by the police and the United States Secret Service officials. E. A. Fraser, alias E. A. Bryant, formerly a Minneapolis street-car conductor, and Edward Brown, are under arrest.

VISITED BY CYCLONE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OTTUMWA (Iowa) Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Wappelo and surrounding counties were visited this evening by a heavy wind of a cyclonic nature. It blew the ofurth story off the New Bonnifield brick block in this city, and did other damage, the extent of which cannot be ascertained until morning. It is thought the country northwest of here suffered heavily.

BATTLE WITH TRAMPS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ARCOLA (Ill.) Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In a battle between Illinois Central trainmen and a number of tramps here, today, Charles Anway, a brakeman, was fatally injured.

KILLED SELF AND CHILD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WINDFALL (Ind.) Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In a temporary fit of insanity, Mrs. Carrie Romack, the wife of Jesse Romack, a merchant of Sharpsville, west of this city, killed herself and her one-month-old child with a paring knife.

FILED SIXTY-FIVE SUITS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VINCENNES (Ind.) Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Woman's Christian Temperance Union and the Ministerial Association have filed sixty-five suits against as many saloonists of this city and county, for alleged violation of the law. The saloon-keepers have employed an attorney, and will fight the cases.

VICTIM OF MOSQUITOES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ELDORA (Iowa) Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Charles Jensen, a railroad flagman, who lives at Clarion, near here, is a victim of mosquitoes, and so severely bitten that it is feared he will be attacked by blood-poisoning. He is violently ill, and under the care of physicians.

FIVE LIVES LOST.

Fire in a New York Tenement House Results in the Death of Two Women and Three Children

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Something exploded in a furniture store on the ground floor of a double tenement at No. 35 Essex street today, and before the tenants could recover from the surprise, the building was a mass of flames. Two women and three children were burned to death, and a man and a woman taken to the hospital, suffering painful injuries. Many others were badly injured.

In addition to the three children burned another was reported missing. One of the dead bodies was believed to be that of Mrs. Hannah Balothin and the other that of Mrs. Joseph Knott, but both were so badly burned that they were not recognisable. The three dead children were believed to be those of Nathan Liebowitz, who reported to the police that his four little ones, Moses, Judus, Louis and Sollie, respectively, 3, 5, 6 and 8 years old, were missing. The persons seriously injured were Mrs. Rosie Miezes, who was burned about the body and face and Jacob Muscovits, who had three ribs broken by jumping to the pavement.

The money loss by the fire was $8000.

MITCHELL INQUEST.

Two More Witnesses Appear With Stories That Bartholin Was Seen in Chicago Five Days Ago.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Interest in the Bartholin-Mitchell murder mystery today centered about the inquest which may determine the cause of the death of Minnie Mitchell. Three men already stand accused as principals or accessories of the crime—Oscar Thompson, former roomer of Mrs. Bartholin; John Claffey, stableman, who took care of the horse Thompson drove, and Edward Counselman, intimate friend of William Bartholin, the supposed matricide.

Two new witnesses appeared today with stories that Bartholin was seen in Chicago as late as August 15. Both men declared to the police that a man whom they believe to be Bartholin, was waiting in a saloon that night for some one who was to bring him some money.

Inspector Hunt believes [illegible] missing man waiting for [illegible]

IDENTITY UNCERTAIN.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—[illegible] of the Mitchell family [illegible] inquest that they could [illegible] positive identification [illegible] found lying in the woods [illegible] prairie at Seventy-fourth [illegible] believed it to be that [illegible] Mitchell.

Following this, Coroner's [illegible] Springer, stated positively [illegible] not believe the body to be [illegible] Miss Mitchell because of the [illegible] state of decomposition.

Inspector Hunt produced [illegible] who positively identified [illegible] Thompson, who is under [illegible] complicity in the crime, to [illegible] men on a street car one [illegible] where the body was found. [illegible] photograph of William Bartholin [illegible] that of the second of the [illegible]

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Young Men's Institute in Session—McCarthy Insane—Work of Pythians.

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FLAGSTAFF (Aris.) Aug. 19.—The Atlantic Limited east-bound ran into a rear end of an east-bound freight train at Coniyle, ten miles east of here, this afternoon. Engineer Williams escaped from his engine and was badly hurt, breaking his leg and arm. The fireman jumped, but escaped injury. The engine turned on its side and the front trucks of the combination car left the track. Four freight cars and the caboose were made into kindling wood. No passengers were injured and the damage done to the coaches. Gustave Swanson, who was riding in a box car, was badly injured. The accident was caused by the delay of the freight train taking siding.

SACRAMENTO REPUBLICANS.

TICKET AND RESOLUTIONS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 19.—The Republican county convention adopted a platform indorsing the President, Gov. Gage and Senator Perkins. The plank relative to Gov. Gage reads as follows:

"We indorse the administration of Governor Henry T. Gage as wise, economical and prudent. The reduction of our state tax to the lowest rate known in many years is due principally to his wise and the good result thereof is known to all. His friendship for and services rendered the workingmen of the state are such as to endear him to all voters, regardless of political affiliations, while his courageous advocacy of policies deemed by him just and for the good by experience stamp him as one to be intrusted and an official to be rewarded. We therefore declare ourselves unreservedly in favor of his renomination and reelection as Governor of California."

This declaration was received with applause, and was adopted by the convention unanimously. The other Republican State officials were spoken of in these terms:

"The conduct of the public affairs by the remaining Republican State officials has been efficient, honest and of such a character as to merit and receive our heartfelt commendation."

The plank concerning Senator Perkins is as follows:

"That we recognize in Hon. George C. Perkins a true representative of the people of the State, who, by his long service in the halls of Congress, has become a power in that body, always working for the good of California and the advancement of Republican principles, and we believe that the best interests of this community will be served by his reelection."

Hon. M. Richardson was reelected chairman of the Republican Central Committee. The platform pays a tribute to the memory of the late President McKinley, declares the Republican party to be the friend of labor, and advocates economy in the administration of public business. The following were nominated as follows:

For Assemblyman, Seventeenth District—Grove L. Johnson.

For Seventh District—John J. Higgins.

For Public Administrator—S. B. Smith (present incumbent.)

For Superintendent of Schools—B. F. Coryell (incumbent.)

For Treasurer—George C. McMullen (incumbent.)

For Tax Collector—A. A. Gerkeley.

For Assessor—A. L. Greenlaw (incumbent.)

For Coroner—David Reese.

For County Clerk—William B. Hamilton (incumbent.)

For District Attorney—Lincoln P. Williams.

For Sheriff—Richard T. Cohn (incumbent.)

For Mayor—Joseph E. Boyd (incumbent.)

For City Attorney—Charles T. Jones.

For Auditor—Thomas H. Berkey (incumbent.)

For Police Judge—Elijah J. Hart (incumbent.)

For Police Judge—Eugene Aram.

For Justice of the Peace—S. Solon Hall (incumbent.)

For Supervisors—First District, Edward Fifth District, Thomas Jennings (incumbent.)

For Justice of the Peace—John C. Austin.

For Township Justice of the Peace—Jay Stanley (incumbent.)

For Constables—Henry Alter and John Hall.

MRS. COLLINS PLEADS GUILTY.

SLIGHT FINE IS IMPOSED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Annie Collins of Los Angeles, the woman who was arrested yesterday for taking some hair tonic from a Market-street store, pleaded guilty before Judge Cabaniss today. Mrs. Collins and her husband appeared in court with Special Policeman Green, who made the arrest.

Green represented the store people, and stated they were not anxious to prosecute Mrs. Collins, because she had written to them mitigating circumstances. He then asked the judge to fine Mrs. Collins to plead guilty, and later to go on her own recognizance. Cabaniss refused this, and decided she must either plead not guilty and stand trial, or else plead guilty and receive punishment. Mrs. Collins then entered a plea of guilty and a fine of $25 was imposed. The woman and her husband then left the court and took the train for their Los Angeles home.

YOUNG MEN'S INSTITUTE.

GRAND COUNCIL IN SESSION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SANTA CRUZ, Aug. 19.—The Grand Council, Young Men's Institute, occupied the morning session in discussing the proposed revision of the constitution. This afternoon F. J. Kierce, D. Shirk, J. Reilly and T. J. Driscoll were elected representatives to the Supreme Council, which meets at Boise in November.

Tonight the beach was crowded to witness the burning of a ship in honor of the Grand Council. The ship was moored to represent a small cruiser, and was several hundred yards from the shore. When set on fire it presented a beautiful sight. Fireworks concluded the destruction of the ship. On Thursday officers will be elected.

The mouth of the river is strewn with hundreds of dead fish. An investigation will be made, as it is believed débris has been thrown into the river.

The Sacramento cavalry today took a trip to Sea Bright and spent the forenoon in hard practice. They were marched along in extended order and had skirmish drills. On Thursday the troops will have target practice at Laveaga Heights.

FIGHT IN GAMBLING HALL.

MIX-UP AT BISBEE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TUCSON (Aris.) Aug. 19. — [Exclusive Dispatch.] Capt. Burton Mossman, Lieut. Burt Grover, William Page and several other Arizona rangers engaged in a fight in the Orient gambling hall at Bisbee, Monday night, over a poker game. Officers Harrington and Jennings of the Bisbee police interfered, and a general fight resulted, in which several shots were fired. The stake was $800 on a deal over which the fight occurred. Grover claimed unfair play, and engaged in a fight with a professional gambler who won a large stake. He drew a six-shooter on his opponent, and the other rangers present took part in the fight.

It ended by Mossman, Grover and Page piling up in the street outside, with two policemen. Harrington succeeded in disarming Grover, and he was arrested, and taken to the City Jail. Page secured the keys at the point of a gun, released Grover, and the two rode away.

Today the citizens of Bisbee formulated a petition to Gov. Brodie, requesting the removal of Capt. Mossman, and the petition, signed by 150 citizens, was forwarded to Phoenix. The rangers have caused a great deal of trouble in the past few months, and have become very unpopular in Bisbee.

LIGHTNING IN THE BEDS.

THREE PEOPLE JUST ESCAPE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

REDDING, Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That the two Misses Snider, sisters-in-law of Dr. Pratt of Fall River Mills, and Thomas Tocher of the same town were not electrocuted, several night ago, is due only to the fact that they slept in iron bedsteads, whose iron posts carried the lightning bolts straight down to the floor.

Fall River Mills has just experienced the severest thunder-and-lightning storm in its history. The Pratt house and Tocher home are several blocks apart, yet almost at the same minute lightning cut through the ceilings of the bedrooms occupied by the young ladies and by Tocher, and struck their iron bedsteads, almost upset them, and burned out through the floor. Neither the girls nor their neighbors were hurt beyond momentary unconsciousness. During the storm many trees about town were struck and shattered, and several small buildings were fired.

PYTHIANS' SUPREME LODGE.

IMPORTANT DECISIONS MADE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—Several important questions were before the Supreme Lodge of Pythians today at their session in the Palace Hotel.

The statute reducing the Supreme Tribunal from five members to three was adopted, and the present members were deposed. Another proposition in which every subordinate lodge is vitally interested was defeated after a long debate by a vote of sixty-nine to forty-eight. The proposition which was suggested by the Hinsey and Kennedy cases was that the supreme statutes be so amended that members of the order be tried for offenses only in their own subordinate lodges, from whose decision there should be no appeal. The motion was voted down.

The followigs were elected members of the Supreme Tribunal: John Alexander, Leesburg, Va.; Tully Scott, Cripple Creek, Colo.; John A. Helcher, St. Paul, Minn.

BOUQUET FOR MARE ISLAND.

GIVEN BY A CONGRESSMAN.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VALLEJO, Aug. 19.—Congressman James E. Watson of Indiana was a guest of Congressman W. H. Metcalf on a visit to the navy yard today. Congressman Watson is a prominent member of the House Naval Committee and a personal friend of Congressman Metcalf, at whose request he came to Mare Island.

Congressman Watson expressed himself as surprised with the yard in every particular. He said that the depth of water was a revelation to him and whereas he had been opposed to the repairing of ships at this yard, he knew now that there was a sufficient depth of water to float the biggest battleships. He also said that he would use his best influence in the Naval Committee to have a ship built at Mare Island.

FRED DORR'S RECORD.

ADVENTUROUS CAREER.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

DAYTON (Wash.) Aug. 19.—Frederick Dorr, who was yesterday found guilty of libel at Manila, is a native of this city, where he spent his early boyhood as clerk in his father's drug store. He was a son of Dr. J. C. Door, a pioneer of the Northwest and a gold hunter in California.

Young Dorr went to Alaska in 1888, spent three years there, was some time in Australia and later in China. As manager of a British coal yard he was expelled from Manila when the Spanish-American War broke out, because of expressed American sentiment.

WALLA WALLA POSSE.

CAPTURED THE WRONG MEN.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WALLA WALLA (Wash.) Aug. 19.—After chasing the men who held up a saloon at Free Water and shot Deputy Sheriff Ritchie, for two days, the posse with bloodhounds from the Washington State Penitentiary at 10 o'clock today captured the wrong men, but secured a criminal who is wanted here. He is George McDonald, and has confessed that he was a party to the attempted hold-up at Touchet, when a farm hand was almost beaten to death, last Monday. The officers will return tonight to Free Water, where another search will be instituted for the robbers.

COURSE IN FARMING.

TEN WEEKS' INSTRUCTION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Aug. 19.—A ten weeks' course for practical farmers who wish to learn about the best modern methods, and then return to the ranch to apply them, has just been announced by the University of California. This short course in agriculture and horticulture will extend from Tuesday, October 7, to Thursday, December 18. A short course in dairying is offered for the same ten weeks.

The short course is open without examination to any one 17 years of age or over, provided only that the applicant should have had sufficient schooling to profit by instruction. As accommodations are limited, the number of students will have to be restricted, those experienced in farm work being given the preference.

MURDERER CONFESSES.

TURNS STATE EVIDENCE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—Witnesses for the prosecution gave strong evidence today against Frank Woods, alias Harmon Hartrodt, alias "St. Louis Frank," on trial for the murder of Police Officer Eugene C. Robinson.

Quite a sensation was caused when William A. Henderson, alias "Minneapolis Frank," one of the six men charged with the murder of Robinson, was placed on the stand as a witness on behalf of the people. The defense objected to the admission of his testimony, but was overruled. Henderson then began a recital of the movements of Woods, himself and the other accused men on the night Robinson was killed. He told of their attempt to rob the Cypress Lawn Cemetery safe, and how it was frustrated by their discovery of an armed man in the office.

An adjournment was then taken until tomorrow, when Henderson will continue his confession.

BRIEF COAST DISPATCHES.

McCarthy Declared Insane.

SALINAS, Aug. 19.—When the case of John McCarthy, accused of having murdered his mother at her home in Castroville on May 18, 1902, was called for trial yesterday morning in the Superior Court, the defense introduced an affidavit from McCarthy's father that he had good reasons to believe his son to be mentally unbalanced. Judge Dorn ordered a special venire to try the case today. Physicians of Salinas and Dr. Crane, expert insanity specialist from Agnews, testified that from the examination they had made of McCarthy they believed him insane. The jury after short deliberation found the defendant insane at the present time. This does not decide as to his sanity at the time he murdered his mother.

Gordon Tried to Escape.

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 19.—R. H. Gordon, who was sent to Folsom prison from this county for forty-five years for highway robbery, came near making his escape yesterday. When lockup time came he was missed, but after several hours' search he was located where he had hidden away on the grounds.

Brakeman Loses His Life.

OAKLAND, Aug. 19.—George A. Wilkinson, a young man employed as a brakeman by the Southern Pacific company, was cut to pieces by a passeger train near Elmira last night. Deceased lived at 1763 Grove street this city, and left last night on his regular run. When near Elmira he was missed by the train crew, and a special engine was sent back to look for him. His remains were found scattered along the track a short distance from Elmira. He leaves a widow and a three-year-old child.

Dillard Indictment Forwarded.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—The indictment on the twenty-eight counts found by the Federal Grand Jury against William H. Dillard, the former colored clerk in the internal revenue office, who is accused of issuing fraudulent Chinese certificates of residence, has been forwarded to the United States Marshal at Seattle, where the prisoner is held. Marshal Shine expects to have Dillard in San Francisco by next Saturday morning.

Mrs. Marsh Set Free.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—The case of Mrs. Irene Marsh, who attempted to murder Miss Alice Murray for alienating the affections of her husband, was dismissed in Judge Cabaniss's court this afternoon for lack of prosecution.

Locked in Close Embrace.

SEATTLE (Wash.) Aug. 19.—The bodies of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Newton of San Francisco, who were drowned from a rowboat in Green Lake last Friday night, were recovered this morning. The bodies were locked together in a close embrace. Mr. and Mrs. Newton came here a week ago on the steamer City of Puebla.

Capt. Meyer Killed.

WHATCOM (Wash.) Aug. 19.—Capt. Robert E. Meyer, who superintended the opening of the first coal mine on the Pacific Coast, was killed here last night in a runaway accident. Capt. Meyer was 72 years of age. In the fifties coal was discovered near here, and a few years later Alvis Hayward, D. O. Mills and P. B. Cornwall of San Francisco purchased the claims. For years this remained the only coal mine on the Coast.

Heavy Loss by Fire.

GRASS VALLEY, Aug. 19.—Fire early this morning destroyed the entire plant of the Conton Mining Company near town. The loss amounts to $20,000, with insurance only $5000. How the fire started is a mystery. All that was saved was the company's books. Eight hundred cords of wood stored near by were destroyed. In the mill was a complete ten-stamp outfit in fine running order. The company will rebuild.

Town Wiped Out by Fire.

EVERETT (Wash.) Aug. 19.—The business portion of Sylvania, a small town near here, was wiped out by fire today. The postoffice, hotel, several stores and dwellings were destroyed. The loss is thought to be in the neighborhood of $40,000.

"Slim" Caught at Noon.

WALLA WALLA (Wash.) Aug. 19.—Jack Ryan, alias "Slim," the second of the two men who have been trailed by posses from this city and Pendleton, since Sunday night, was captured at noon today on a farm six miles from Athena.

MOB SURROUNDS JAIL.

Threatens the Lynching of John Grooms, a Negro, Who is Accused of Assaulting Two Aged Women.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

JEFFERSON (O.) Aug. 19.—A mob surrounded the jail here today, threatening to lynch John Grooms, a negro, who last night assaulted two old women, Harriet and Sabrina Hopkins. Several hysterical women in the crowds are inciting the men to take the law into their hands. Grooms is said to have chewed an ear off one of his victims, and torn the flesh in the arm of the other with his teeth. The women identified Grooms as their assailant, and his hat and part of his clothing were found in the Hopkins field.

VON GIFFENBERG ARRESTED.

OROVILLE, Aug. 19.—Hugo von Giffenberg, who is wanted in San Francisco on the charge of larceny, was arrested at Pentz today at the residence of W. J. Lockeman, father-in-law of Giffenberg. He was found hidden in a woodshed.

WASHINGTON.

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mended the purchase of certain lands at a price that comes well within the amount allowed by Congress. He said he did not want to make the report public now because the department must examine the title to the lands recommended to be bought before finally deciding to pay for them.

The conservative attitude taken by the Interior Department in this whole business is due to the anxiety of several ranch owners in Southern California to sell land to the government at pretty stiff prices, and the officials seem to be afraid that if they were to announce now they had decided to buy a certain tract of land for the use of the Indians, pressure would be brought to get them to make another decision before title had actually passed.

It will take possibly three weeks to make an examination of title, and get deeds to the land. Then the money will be paid over, and the work of moving the Indians to their new home will be commenced at once.

STATEHOOD BILL.

EARLY ACTION PROMISED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A dispatch received at The Times' Washington bureau from Indianapolis says that Senator Beveridge, chairman of the Senate Committee of Territories, has decided in the early part of November to consider the bill granting Statehood to Arizona, New Mexico and Oklahoma. By agreement this bill must be taken up in the Senate soon after the opening in December, and must therefore be disposed of in committee before the regular session of the Senate opens.

RELATIONS WITH TURKEY.

ADMITTED TO BE STRAINED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—It is admitted at the State Department that there is a renewal of tension between the United States and Turkey, but the officials do not deem it prudent to disclose, the present condition of affairs. They say, however, that the condition is in no way grave, but is of that strained character which has occurred from time to time with Turkey in recent years.

It is gathered that the present tension grows out of the long-pending claims of Americans who suffered loss during the Armenian outbreak To some extent the Stone abduction gave added cause for irritation. The American Minister, Mr. Leishman, has been given wide latitude to deal with the situation as circumstances may demand.

CLERKS PLAYED POKER.

DISCIPLINED BY SHAW.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Just before he left Washington for his second speech-making tour of Vermont, Secretary Shaw severely disciplined several employés of the treasury for a form of misconduct which heretofore has not received attention from the head of the department. Several days ago the wives of a number of clerks called in a body upon the Secretary, and requested that an order be issued that there be withheld on every pay day a certain part of the husband's salary for the support of themselves and children. This caused Secretary Shaw to institute a rigid investigation into the conduct of clerks against whom the complaint was made, and when he learned that some of them were habitual poker players, while others were in the habit of betting on horse races he brought them up before him with a sharp turn.

After delivering to them a severe fatherly lecture on the evils of gambling, he ordered the transfer of every one of them from the desks they now occupy; learned what their family expenses were, and cut their salaries with a view to their domestic needs. Then he warned them that if he heard of any of them wagering any part of their salaries again he would promptly discharge them from the treasury.

The effect of the Secretary's action in this case is perceptible among others of the thousand treasury employés who are beginning to realize that Shaw is determined to enforce most rigid discipline in the department, to the end of increasing the efficiency of public service, and at the same time enforcing the rules of conduct that will minimize the chance of evil-doing among the clerks that might lead to a public scandal.

FIGHTING IN HAYTI.

EXAGGERATED REPORTS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The Navy Department today received a mail report from Commander McCrea of the Machias, in which he stated that the accounts of the fighting in the neighborhood of Cape Haytien and of the situation there generally had been greatly exaggerated. He says that the situation is far from threatening at Cape Haytien, but that he considers it his duty to remain there for the present, owing to the fact that Admiral Killick with a revolutionary gunboat is still at large, and in the absence of foreign warships might come into the harbor and bombard the city.

SHOT FROM AMBUSH.

SCRANTON (Pa.) Aug. 19.—Michael Connelly and Forest Crossman, said to be non-union workmen employed about the Edgerton colliery were shot from ambush today presumably by strikers. Crossman was so badly injured, that it was necessary to amputate his right foot. Connelly's condition is regarded as serious.

The men were working on a water course near the breaker when a bullet whizzed close to Crossman's head. Connelly says he thought the shot had been fired by mine guards and shouted a warning. Two more shots followed, a bullet lodging in Crossman's leg and a charge of shot shattering Connelly's shoulder. Some of the shot hit him in the face.

TROOPS IN LANSFORD.

LANSFORD (Pa.) Aug. 19.—With all lights out, the train bearing Gen. Gobin and his staff and the First Batallion of the Twelfth Regiment from Shenandoah, steamed quietly into this town about half an hour before daybreak this morning. The strikers were worked up to such a high pitch of excitement last night over the shooting of Sharp, who was one of their leaders, that it was feared an outbreak would occur this morning, and the Sheriff called for troops. Contrary to expectations, no attempt was made by the strikers to march to Nesquehoning, and no demonstration of any kind was made, either here or at Nesquehoning.

While the strikers denounce the killing of Sharp as an unprovoked and cold-blooded murder, the deputies and coal company officials declare the shooting was done in self-defense.

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Remarkable Crime on the Lumber Schooner Fred J. Woods—Cook, Who is also a Japanese, is Charged With Being an Accessory Before the Fact.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—Advices have reached this city from Honolulu, per steamer Alameda, of the murder of Capt. J. J. Jacobson, of the lumber schooner Fred J. Woods, by the cabin boy, a Japanese named Tanbara Gesaboro. S. Oto, the Japanese cook, is charged with being an accessory before the fact. The murder occurred on the high seas, July 30, the captain being stabbed with a butcher knife.

The four-masted American schooner Fred J. Woods, bound from Portland to China with a cargo of lumber, anchored off the port of Honolulu early on the morning of August 5, flying signals of distress, and in charge of Mate H. Meyer. The custom officer who went out to her found Capt. J. J. Jacobson lying dead and mutilated, wrapped in a canvas shroud in the fore part of the vessel. The Japanese cabin boy, who had butchered the captain, was in the hold, heavily ironed, with lumber piled all around him. The Japanese cook was found locked in a cabin.

In another cabin, with her five-months-old baby in her arms, and a twenty-one-months-old girl playing about her, was Mrs. Jacobson, the widow of the dead commander. The story of the murder, patched together from details given by different members of the crew, is as follows:

Both the cook and cabin boy were picked up in Portland. After sailing the cook and the boy refused to do any work that did not please them. Between 6:30 and 7 o'clock a.m., July 30, the captain went to the galley to learn why the boy had not done certain work which had been ordered. The commander found the boy sitting in the cook's galley, and when questioned as to his negligence, he drew from under his coat a long butcher knife, and made a lunge at the captain. The latter got out of harm's way, and ordered the boy to give him the knife. At this command a small panel which is used to pass food from the cook's galley to the sailors' quarters was opened by a French sailor named More. He saw the boy with the knife, and noticed that the captain had the boy by the shoulders, but More was powerless to go to the assistance of the commander, the hole being too small to allow his body to pass through. The cook was not in sight.

The boy and Jacobson struggled to the donkey-room, where the passageway is only two and a half feet wide. The boy was seen to bend his knees and run the knife up through the captain's body. The captain fell over the little assassin, and in a moment the whole ship's crew and Mrs. Jacobson were on the scene. It was only the determined stand taken by Mate Meyer which prevented the crew from throwing the murderer into the sea. The captain was carried on deck, dead.

Capt. Jacobson is spoken of in the highest terms by the entire crew, who claim that he treated them, as well as the boy, in the most gentlemanly manner. The Japanese cabin boy expressed no sorrow for his deed. When th cook was leaving the boat he was heard to say in Japanese to the cabin boy, "Don't you give me away." This remark caused an investigation to be made, and he was charged with being an accessory to the murder.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

There is much excitement in the Peninsula of Yucatan, where petroleum has been discovered.

Congressman R. R. Hitt, who was taken seriously ill in Chicago Monday night, is pronounced out of danger.

The National Arts Club of New York has started to collect funds to aid in rebuilding the Venice campanile, recently destroyed.

Fire of unknown origin yesterday destroyed Parsons College at Fairfield, Iowa, a Presbyterian institution, founded in 1875. The loss is $50,000; insurance half.

Prof. Pickering of Harvard has received word from the Harvard station at Arequipa, Peru, that the planet Eros has been rediscovered. The planet disappeared in May, 1901.

The body of a Swiss lieutenant named Raumnd has been found on the Trient glacier, and the body of a Swiss mountaineer named Marcus Zimmerman has been discovered in a crevasse at Mont Giarnisch.

The Switzerland Federal Council has decreed the active enforcement of an article of the constitution, forbidding the establishment of new convents by religious orders or the reestablishment of suppressed congregations.

Assistant Superintendent of Motive Power W. A. Nettelton of the Santa Fé system has tendered his resignation, and will locate in Kansas City, where he will attend to private business. His successor is not known.

The New York police have a mystery to solve in the finding in the North River of the body of a man with the right leg missing. Two hours later a right leg of a man was found floating in Gravesend Bay, about five miles south of where the body was picked up.

Mrs. Eleanor Wallack, wife of Lester Wallack, grandson of the famous Lester Wallack, committed suicide yesterday by inhaling illuminating gas. Her home formerly was in Philadelphia. Wallack said he knew of no reason why his wife should have desired to kill herself.

A plan is on foot to form a combination of the outside distillers in Kentucky and the outside distillers in Ohio, Illinois and Indiana, the proposed consolidation being a revival of the so-called "Greenbaum plan," which was stopped in its infancy three years ago by the formation of the present combine.

The Supreme Court yesterday granted a writ of error in the case against Frank C. Andrews, and ordered that Andrews be remanded to the custody of the Sheriff of Wayne county until discharged by due process of law. The effect of this action is to prevent Andrews's immediate removal to Jackson prison.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Herald Square, D. Affat; at the New Amsterdam, Mr. and Mrs. Ewing; at the Victoria, G. M. Higley and wife.

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Celluloid Tooth Brush Cases, the sanitary kind	25c and 50c	Rubber Steamer Toilet Rolls	$1.00
		Leather Steamer Toilet Rolls	$1.50 to $3.00

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SPORTING RECORD.

THURSTON'S BAD FIGHT.

"Young" Gibbs Wins in Twelfth Round.

Referee Saves Him a Worse Beating.

Brooklyn Defeats St. Louis in Two Games—Vanderbilt Sells His Mobs.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The fight between Charles Thurston and "Young" Gibbs at the Reliance Club, Oakland, tonight, was stopped in the twelfth round and the decision was awarded to Gibbs. Thurston was hardly able to stand when the fight was stopped, and was receiving heavy punishment. Thurston was taken to his corner by seconds, and it was several minutes before he was able to leave the ring. Gibbs was comparatively fresh.

The fight was Gibbs's from the start. Thurston did not seem to be in good condition, and was said to be fighting at 139 pounds, although his allowed weight was 145 pounds. Little execution was done in the first two rounds. Thurston did a great deal of running around the ring, while Gibbs followed him closely, and was quick to counter the blows of his opponent. At the end of the second round, Thurston was breathing hard. Toward the end of the third round, Thurston received a heavy blow in the body. He was saved from a knockout by the gong, which rang on the ninth count.

In the fourth round, Thurston sparred for wind, but at the end of the fifth, he was on his knees and seemed ready to quit. During the remainder of the fight there were a few telling blows.

In the twelfth, Thurston was hardly able to stand, and was being severely punished when the referee stopped the fight. The men were to have fought fifteen rounds.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

CINCINNATI CLOSES SERIES.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CINCINNATI (O.) Aug. 19.—The Cincinnati team took the last game of the series from Boston here today. In the ninth, with two men on bases and two out, Bergen sent a single over Tenny's head, and brought in both men. Attendance 2000. Score:

Cincinnati, 8; hits, 13; errors, 3.
Boston, 7; hits, 10; errors, 2.
Batteries—Hahn and Bergen; Eason, Pittinger and Moran.
Umpire—Irwin.

PHILADELPHIA-CHICAGO.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Rhoades was hit safely but once in the first six innings, but in the next two proved very easy, three errors, a passed ball and eight hits giving the visitors runs to spare. Attendance 1100. Score:

Chicago, 5; hits, 9; errors, 3.
Philadelphia, 8; hits, 9; errors, 2.
Batteries—Rhoad and Kling; Dugglely and Douglas.
Umpire—Cantillon.

PITTSBURGH-NEW YORK.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Aug. 19.—Pittsburgh won in the ninth inning by Wagner's single, scoring the two men on bases. Up to the last inning it was anybody's game, with odds in favor of New York. The fielding of both teams was of a superior order. Attendance 1275. Score:

Pittsburgh, 5; hits, 10; errors, 1.
New York, 4; hits, 11; errors, 1.
Batteries—Chesbro and Zimmer; Miller and Bowerman.
Umpire—O'Day.

BROOKLYN-ST. LOUIS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 19.—Brooklyn defeated St. Louis easily twice today. Dahlen's error in the ninth inning of the second game enabled the St. Louis team to score its only tally of the day. Attendance 2200. Score.

First game:
St. Louis, 0; hits, 4; errors, 0.
Brooklyn, 6; hits, 11; errors, 2.
Batteries—Yerkes, Bearson, O'Neil; Kitson and Ahearn.
Umpire—Brown.
Second game:
St. Louis, 1; hits, 6; errors, 2.
Brooklyn, 7; hits, 14; errors, 4.
Batteries—M. O'Neil and J. O'Neil; Evans and Farrell.
Umpire—Brown.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES.

CHICAGO BREAKS A STREAK.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 19.—Griffith's superb pitching was a stumbling block to the home club today, and Chicago broke the locals' winning streak. Two singles, a double and Waddell's wild throw in the first inning gave the visitors the game. Attendance 6551. Score:

Chicago, 5 hits;, 8; errors, 2.
Philadelphia, 2; hits, 7; errors, 5.
Batteries—Griffith and Sullivan; Waddell and Schreck.

ST. LOUIS-BALTIMORE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BALTIMORE, Aug. 19.—After keeping well in the game for six innings, the Baltimore team let St. Louis walk away from them today by a succession of misplays. Attendance 1390. Score:

Baltimore, 4; hits, 7; errors, 8.
St. Louis, 11; hits, 11; errors, 2.
Batteries—Butler and Smith; Donahue and Kahoe.

WASHINGTON-CINCINNATI.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Washington won the third and final game of the series from Cleveland today. All of them were ten-inning contests. After Hess relieved Leitner, two long drives by Delehanty and Coughlin earned the deciding tally. Attendance 2200. Score:

Washington, 5; hits, 13; errors, 2.
Cleveland, 4; hits, 10; errors, 0.
Batteries—Patten and Clarke; Leitner, Hess and Bemis.

POSTPONED GAMES.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BOSTON, Aug. 19.—Both baseball games scheduled for today between Boston and St. Louis in the American League series were postponed on account of rain.

M'DONALD'S GOOD LUCK.

NOT INJURED IN SMASH-UP.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NAPA, Aug. 19.—The programme for the second day of the Napa Agricultural District race meet proved to be an interesting one. The attendance was large, as all of the stores in town had closed on account of the races.

In the second heat of the trotting race an accident happened that threatened to mar the day's sport but which, by a miracle, amounted to nothing. Forest W, driven by A. L. McDonald, got into a pocket at the first turn past the stand, and in the mix-up the sulky was smashed, and McDonald was dropped to the ground. Trilby, driven by Joe Smith, just missed him, but the sulky passed over him. McDonald scrambled to his feet unhurt, and the horse almost completed the circuit of the track twice before being stopped. Beyond a few minor cuts, the horse was unhurt. The horse succeeded in winning the next heat and second money. Summary:

The 2:24 trotting, purse $600: Petigru won, Forest W second, Varena third, Trilby fourth; best time 2:17¼.

The 2:20 class, pacing, purse $500: Robert I first, Welcome Mc second, Alfred C third; best time 2:10.

Four and a half furlongs: Katherine Ennis won, Rafaeletta second, Thelma third; time 0:56¼.

Four and a half furlongs: Magnelone won, Miss Culver second, Searchlight third; time 0:58¾.

WESTERN LEAGUE GAMES.

MILWAUKEE WINS AT HOME.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 19.—Score:
Milwauke, 4; Colorado Springs, 2.

PEORIA-DENVER.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PEORIA, Aug. 19.—Scores. First game:
Peoria, 4; Denver, 3.
Second game:
Peoria, 5; Denver, 4.

DES MOINES-KANSAS CITY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 19.—First game: Kansas City 6; Des Moines, 8. Eleven innings.

Second game: Kansas City 6; Des Moines 4.

ST. JOSEPH-OMAHA.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. JOSEPH, Aug. 19.—Omaha 0; St. Joseph, 2.

ROOT AND GARDNER.

RETURN MATCH MADE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SALT LAKE (Utah) Aug. 19.—Arrangements were practically concluded this morning by Lou Houseman, representing Jack Root, and Alec Gregains, representing George Gardner, for a return match betwen the two men, to take place within two months before the club offering the most satisfactory purse. It is probable the fight will go either to San Francisco or Chicago, a six-round go in case it is pulled off in the latter city. Both men were around town today, and showed the effects of the severe punishment they received in last night's battle.

SMATHERS FORFEITS COIN.

DOES NOT BUY "THE ABBOTT."

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—John J. Scannell, announces from Saratoga that the option held by E. F. Smathers on "The Abbott" expired last Saturday, and that Smathers had failed, on account of the lameness that prevented "The Abbott" from meeting Lord Derby at Brighton Beach to take it up. Consequently he loses the $8000 he put up to bind the option.

Scannell has received from various prospective buyers $29,500 in forfeits of the same kind, and he paid only $26,500 for the horse when he bought him at the Hamlin sale at Madison Square Garden. Scannell says that "The Abbott's" lameness is only temporary.

"BUTCH" THOMPSON DEAD.

ONE OF RICHEST GAMBLERS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SARATOGA (N. Y.) Aug. 19.—Charles H. Thompson, better known as "Butch" Thompson, died here today after a long illness, following injuries received in a runaway accident ten years ago at Long Branch. The direct cause of his death was Bright's disease and cirrhosis of the liver.

Thompson was one of the richest gamblers in this country, and leaves property valued at $500,000. He was born in Norway, sixty-two years ago, and coming to this country while a young man, entered the army, where he learned to play cards so skillfully that he gambled professionally the remainder of his life. He was known to every sporting man in the country. With Al Smith, he ran the "White Elephant" in New York City many years, and made a book on the races.

Racing at Butte.

BUTTE (Mont.) Aug. 19.—Mile, purse: Amzi won, La Calma second, Abbyle L. third; time 1:43¾.

Seven furlongs, selling: Joe K. won, Hamptonian second, Kickum Bob third; time 1:25½.

Five furlongs, purse: Lady Superba won, Annie F. second, Tamm third; time 1:02½.

Six furlongs handicap: Jennie Hughes won, Sea Queen second, Laureate third; time 1:14¾.

Mile and 100 yards, selling: Illillouon won, The Gaffer second, Mont Eagle third; time 1:48¾.

Five and a half furlongs, selling: Sad Sam won, Narar G. second, Algareta third; time 1:07½.

Mile, owners' race: February won, Whaleback second, The Scot third; time 1:46.

Races at Saratoga.

SARATOGA (N. Y.) Aug. 19.—Mile and a furlong: Kilogram won, Bar le Duc second, Bessie McCarthy third; time 1:57 3-5.

Six furlongs: Aceful won, Nine Spot second, Olefiant third; time 1:16 2-5.

Seven furlongs: Brandy Smash won, Lady Radner second, Toddy third; time 1:31.

The Merchants' and Citizens' handicap, mile and a furlong: Herbert won, Key Note second, Whisky King third; time 1:56 2-5.

Five and a half furlongs: Gloriosa won, W. R. Condon second, Shrine third; time 1:08 3-5.

Handicap, all ages, one mile: Carbuncle won, Huntressa second, Arsena third; time 1:43.

Races at Hawthorne.

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Five and a half furlongs: Lady Jocelyn won, Air Tight second, Adios third; time 1:09¾.

One mile: Lucien Appleby won, Wain A. Moinen second, Bragg third; time 1:43¼.

Seven furlongs: Judicious won; Matin Bell second; Emathion third; time 1:30½.

One and an eighth miles: John McGurk won, Scarlet Lily second, Orontas third; time 1:54¾.

Seven furlongs: Silurian won, Rolling Boer second, Headwater third; time 1:29.

Mile and a quarter: Little Elkin won, Edith Q. second, Ravensbury third; time 1:10 1-5.

Races at Kinloch Park.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 19.—Six furlongs, selling: Beauty Book won, Has Gift second, Temptress third; time 1:19.

Six furlongs, purse: Doeskin won, Kilrush second, Anything third; time 1:20.

Five and a half furlongs, selling: Maghonie won, Floyd K. second; Goudy third; time 1:12.

The Bratton steeplechase, short course: Fearful won, Gov. Bird second, Grand Dad third; time 3:32.

One mile and a sixteenth, selling: Jessie Jarbo won, Star Cotton second, Col. Ballantyne third; time 1:53.

Six furlongs, selling: Federalist won, Tom Collins second, Sinfi third; time 1:18.

Beckley Signs Early.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 19.—Jacob Beckley, first baseman, has signed a contract with the Cincinnati National League Club for next season.

Trotting Postponed.

BOSTON, Aug. 19.—The trotting at Readville was postponed today on account of rain.

LOCAL SPORTING RECORD.

BALL PLAYERS RETURN TO CHUTES DIAMOND.

FOUR-WEEK SERIES OF GAMES OPENS TODAY.

Local Fans Have Contracted Pennant Fever—Hank Griffin Will Tackle Big Game—Matched With Fred Russel for September.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon a four-week series of ball games will begin on the Chutes diamond. The next five games will be with the outdistanced Sacramento team, followed by a week's play each with Oakland and San Francisco, when the Senators will return again for a week.

The local fans, than whom there are no more enthusiastic or patriotic on the Coast, have contracted the pennant fever with a vengeance. In the earlier part of the season, when the star players were quitting one by one with discouraging regularity, the baseball devotees quite abandoned hope for first place for the Looloos. Now that is all changed by the strengthening of the team and the excellent form displayed.

Morley's aggregation is without doubt the best club in the league and for several weeks they have been playing the best ball. Considering that they were the victims of the rawest kind of robbery by the umpires, the northern tour just past was a great victory, as they returned with nine wins out of sixteen games played. In the coming series it is confidently expected that they will do even better than that.

This condition makes the Looloos look very much like pennant winners. The Oakland leaders have been very seriously crippled by the loss of good men, and will have a hard time maintaining their advantage unless recruited to an unexpected degree of excellence. The San Francisco club has been beating the leaders right along and ought to continue to do so, which will tend to even up matters and help the locals in their fight for first honors.

The Looloos are in gilt-edge form and possess the best pitching talent on the Coast. Mills has proved himself a real star, and if he pitches today it will be his first appearance in the city of his adoption for the baseball season. Hall, the other new twirler, gives promise of being a fine investment. Dillon, the new first baseman, is making good both in his position and at the bat. Hanlon has been doing crack performances on and around second bag, and will be kept on full salary as utility man when Raymer's injury allows him to resume his old position.

The line-up today will be as follows:

Los Angeles.		Sacramento.
Mills	pitcher	Stricklett
McPartlin		
Anderson	catcher	Graham
Toman	shortstop	Unglaub
Dillon	first base	Eagan
Hanlon or Raymer	second base	Casey
Reilly	third base	Sheehan
Lawler	right field	Hogan
Householder	center field	Doyle
Jackson	left field	Hildebrand

FIGHT GOSSIP.

HANK GRIFFIN'S BIG GAME.

Hank Griffin, the lanky mulatto, who is matched to fight big Fred Russel here September 12, returned from a week's sojourn at Catalina yesterday and began arranging for his training. He has been doing light work continuously ever since his return from the North, where he acted as sparring partner for Bob Fitzsimmons. Griffin is light, and hard, and confident. He will secure his old training quarters at San Pedro, and will get down to heavy work early next week.

The Griffin-Russel match has created much interest and is the subject of not a little discussion among local fistic experts. The fight will be a pocket edition of the Jeffries-Fitzsimmons mill as regards weight, Griffin weighing about 180 to Russell's 215. Still early talk indicates a quite general opinion that he will win. The men are among the best of the second raters, Russell having defeated Peter Maher and made a good stand-off with Tom Sharkey. Both were beaten by Denver Ed Martin in the same length of time, but Martin is rated among the very best in the business, and will probably be Jeffries's next opponent for the highest honors.

As for Griffin, it must be said that he has never received his dues in Los Angeles, although he has many friends and backers in this city. But because he had worked in a brickyard and with a pick and shovel here many of the sports got the idea that he was common. Griffin had to go away from home to be discovered, but his stock has been going up very fast of late. Fitzsimmons took a pronounced liking for his work, and has engaged the colored man as sparring partner on his theatrical tour. Many of the good judges of pugilistic flesh who gathered at San Francisco spoke well of Hank, and all this has fired the local negro with renewed ambition.

FISTIC ARBITRATION.

Manager McCarey will inaugurate an entirely new feature of judging at the Griffin-Russell fight. There has been quite a little dissatisfaction over the great proportion of draws fought here, and it is thought that perhaps finer decisions on all points of the performances might tend to spur contestants to more strenuous efforts for a decision or knockout. An arbitration board of three will be appointed with power to reverse or affirm the referee's verdict. This is expected, also, to inspire the referee with more confidence in rendering his decision. McCarey has appointed John Brink and Tom Darmody members of the board and they will agree upon a third member. "Billy" Manning will hereafter officiate as referee of the fights held under the auspices of the Century Club.

Negotiations have been begun by Manager McCarey for a fight between the famous Joe Walcott and "Young Peter Jackson" for the welterweight championship of the world. These two very black negroes are about the hardest men of their weight in the ring, and have met several times before. The last contest ended in a draw and was a fight of fights.

Much interest is being shown among local sports in the forthcoming return meeting of "Young Corbett" and Terry McGovern at Louisville, Ky. Some mysterious eastern bettor drifted into town yesterday with huge bundles of coin, which he is anxious to put on McGovern. At one resort this money was posted at 10 to 7 that the little Brooklynite will regain the championship. To a few this offer looked like a good thing, and to many others it at least seemed a bargain, so some local speculators took a large slice of the foreign capital. The easterner had visited San Francisco, and the placing of money in such quantities at this early date indicates that the fight will carry a lot of money.

OCEAN PARK TENNIS.

VALUABLE PRIZES OFFERED.

The Ocean Park Country Club will hold polo and tennis tournaments next Friday and Saturday. No admission is to be charged to the grounds. Prizes to the value of $200 have been offered and most of the best-known players in Southern California will compete. The prizes are now on exhibition in the window of Montgomery Bros., and are for the following events: Men's singles—First prize, loving cup; second, racquet. Ladies' singles—First, cup; second, cup. Mixed doubles—First, two cups; second, cups. Men's doubles—First, cups; second, racquets. Ladies' doubles—First and second, four cups.

Among the contributors of prizes are: J. M. Hale & Co., $20 feather fan; Montgomery Bros., silver loving cup; Hoegee & Co., two racquets; Los Angeles and Pacific Railway, $25. The Maier & Zobelein brewery offers a barrel of their best beer for the winner of the polo match.

TRANS-MISSISSIPPI COMMERCIAL CONGRESS.

PRESIDENT JOHN HENRY SMITH CALLS IT TO ORDER.

One of the Objects of the Session is to Bring About a Concentration of Action in Behalf of the Great West.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PAUL (Minn.) Aug. 19.—The Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress was called to order here this morning by President John Henry Smith of Salt Lake City, with representatives of the entire West present.

The jurisdiction of the congress extends to the States of Arkansas, California, Colorado, Idaho, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Nevada, Louisiana, Minnesota, Missouri, North Dakota, Oregon, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Washington, Wyoming, Arizona, Indian Territory, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Alaska, Hawaiian Islands and the Philippines. In outlining the work of the congress for the present session, President Smith said:

"The object of the Trans-Mississippi Congress is to crystallize the opinions of the western country in regard to the matters of national legislation, and to bring them before Congress in such a manner as to effect the greatest good.

"An effort will be made at this session to bring about a consideration of the differences of the West. There is now a mining congress, a livestock congress, an irrigation congress, a good-roads congress—all operating in ment. Dillon, the new first baseman, harmony, but separately. The idea that better results could be obtained from a concentration of these is becoming more and more widespread, and it will receive careful consideration at the present session."

Th congress was opened with an invocation by Archbishop Ireland, after which addresses of welcome were delivered by Gov. Van Sant and D. W. Lawler on behalf of Mayor Smith.

After the response of President Smith this morning, the session closed.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

At the afternoon session, Col. L. F. Brown of Aspen, Colo., read a paper on "Mines and Mining." In which he urged the congress to take measures to secure the creation of a government department of mines and mining, whose head shall be a member of the President's Cabinet.

E. R. Moses of the Executive Committee discussed the proposition to maintain a secretary of the congress at Washington, whose duty it shall be to advise the Trans-Mississippi interests of matters pending before the National Legislature by which they may be affected.

The afternoon session was shortened somewhat in order to allow delegates to participate in a steamboat excursion.

Tonight the subject under discussion was "Alaska," and among those who spoke were Donald Fletcher of Seattle, whose topic was "Territorial Government of Alaska," and J. A. Ivy, formerly in the custom service, who spoke of the commercial condition of the territory.

One of the principal speakers at tomorrow's session will be J. J. Hill, president of the Great Northern Railway, who will discuss the subject of trade with the Orient.

THE WORTH THAT WAITS.

Worth sat at home and waited
While youth's years wore away;
"The world," he kept repeating,
"Will find me out some day."

Brass went with banners flying,
His voice was bold and loud;
The show he made attracted
The notice of the crowd.

Worth's clothes at last got shabby,
His cheeks grew pale and thin,
But still he had the notion
That he some day must win.

Brass strutted in fine raiment
And added to his girth;
He took the pains to herald
His triumphs o'er the earth.

Worth died at last of hunger;
A book beside him lay:
Within it was this proverb:
"True Worth must win some day."

Brass lived in royal splendor;
His boasts were bold and loud;
He thought himself a wonder,
So did the gaping crowd.

Perhaps True Worth will triumph,
As sages like to say—
But can True Worth sit waiting
While youth's years wear away?
—[S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Record-Herald.

Grasped the Inspiration.

Strumleigh (humming an air:) Tum-tu-tiddy-tum-ti-ti tee——

Friend (interrupting:) What is that thing?

Strumleigh: Why one of the things they were playing at the classical concert last night, by—er—what's the man's name? You know—er—something you catch hold of?

Friend (with sudden inspiration:) Handel?—[Washington Times.

The Best or Nothing.

"Of course," said the printer, "you'll want this booklet about your new place embellished with half-tone pictures."

"Not much," replied Nuritch with some heat. "I'm rich enough to have full-tones; no half-ways with me."—[Philadelphia Press.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

TUESDAY, Aug. 19, 1902.

Estate of Francesca M de Pena, deceased, order confirming sale to James W Mays, part Rancho Boca de Santa Monica.

P M Badillo, administrator of estate of Francisca M de Petta, deceased, to James W Mays, property described above, $250.

Crichton Smith to Julia D Frost, lot 24, McLean's subdivision, $10.

Crichton Smith to George W Shires, lot 25, McLean's subdivision, $10.

William D Rosenberger to Henry W Latee, lot 21, H H Vicher's subdivision, $10.

William Haak and Bertha Haak to Charles Henry Olsen, lot 23, Hiller's subdivision of block 42, San Pedro, $400.

Los Angeles Savings Bank, Silas C Osmun and Marie Josephine Weakland Osmun to Simon P Mansfield, lots 16 and 17, block 43, Electric Railway Homestead Association, $200.

Pacific Land Company to Charles L. Bundy, part Rancho San Vicente y Santa Monica, $10.

Charles L Bundy and Hallie B Bundy to H J Woollacott, same, $10.

Mary E Bryant, administratrix of estate of Elbridge H Thompson, deceased, to Lewis S Thorpe, part sec 10, 1 S 10, $1700.

O L Stitt to Robert C Jenkins, lot 7, block D, Montague tract, $10.

John Fielding and Margaret Fielding to Joseph L Murphey, lots 10 and 11, block E, Bonnie Brae tract, $10.

Annie Elizabeth Ewins and James Ewins to Ada S Poland, lot 13, block 1, C M Wells tract, $10.

Frank B Bebson and Margaret T Benson to Julia Woodville, lot 5 and part lot 7, block 39, Long Beach, $50.

B Hubbard to J S Rogers, lots 9 and 10, block 2, Doolittle & Talbot's subdivision, $200.

B S Rogers to Sophronia P Derrick, lots 9 and 10, block 2, Doolittle & Talbot's subdivision.

Oliver Youngs, trustee, to Ruth E Newland, lots 9 and 10, block 2, Doolittle & Talbot's subdivision, $1.

Sophronia P Derrick and T F Derrick to Ruth E Newland, lots 9 and 10, block 2, Doolittle & Talbot's subdivision, $200.

H W Chase and Carrie L Chase to Mrs Henry Corsette, lot 14, block A, Eta Hill's tract, $200.

John P Day, sometimes known as J P Day, and M E Day to George H Pippitt, part Rancho La Brea, $1.

John P Day, known as J P Day, and M E Day to John Waage, part Rancho La Brea, $1.

Barton Geer and Lencra E Geer to Rigden-McHenry Building Company, part lot 17, block R, Garvanza Addition No 1, $10.

Thomas J Plummer to Rigden-McHenry Building Company, part lot 17, block R, Garvanza Addition No 1, $10.

Christian Wine to Ira S Trostle, block 233, Inglewood, $1450.

Jennie W Yonge to H Merrick, lot 11, block 1, Simon & Hubbard's subdivision, $10.

Rachel H Jamison to F E Woodruff, lot 90, Clark & Bryan's Lone Star tract, $1125.

R M Baker and Sarah M Baker to Maud R Trask, part block 25, Highland Park tract, $10.

Charles Theisen to Maud R Trask, part block 25, Highland Park tract, $10.

Horace M Wheeler and Elizabeth B Wheeler to W H Mansfield, part lots 21 and 22, H J Holmes's subdivision, $1200.

Mrs Rachel Elliott to Edward C Magauran, lot 22 and part lot 21, block D, Lake Shore tract, $10.

Mrs N M Jackson, formerly Mrs N M Martin, to John Franklin Wynkoop, lot 27, block 4, George Dalton, Sr, tract, $10.

Joseph Jackson and Ida Jackson to Maud B Terry, lots 7 and 10, block B, Stanwood & Nash's subdivision, $200.

Anna W Bixby to Elizabeth A H Owens, lot 4, block K, Bonnie Brae tract, $10.

Howard Lawrence Wiser to Martha A Hall, part lot 4, range 12, Alhambra Addition tract, $1000.

Irwin Lhoyd, sometimes written Irwin S Lhoyd, Percy B Lhoyd and Bessie A Lhoyd to L L Bowen, lots 1 and 2, block 2, Washington Villa tract, $10.

Joseph Engert and Mima Engert to Kate Donovan, lots 22 and 32, block 10, Wolfskill Orchard tract, $10.

Walter J Lawrence and Emogene Lawrence to Charles Lewis, lot 5, McGrew's subdivision, $10.

Flora Stephens and William D Stephens to Gager C Davis, lot 52, Reeve tract, $2250.

Jessica R Weller and D R Weller to G E Tredrick, lot 21, block C, Rothtreet tract, $10.

Millo E Mather, known as M E Mather, to Lucien G Mather, lot 3, block 4, George Dalton, Sr, tract, $5.

Tod Ford to John Simon, lots 23 and 24, Ford tract, $1275.

John B Rohrer to Kate Josephine Tabb, lot 3, block B, Martin tract, $10.

Estate of Harriett P Willard, deceased, order confirming sale to L J Wiltberger, lots 89 and 92, Ellis tract.

W M Eason, trustee, to Bettina B Brown, part lots 21 and 22, block 2, Wadsworth & Hollister tract.

W M Easton, trustee, to Pettina B Brown, lot 22 and part lot 22, block 2, Wadsworth & Hollister tract, $625.

Henry G Wilson and Lucy F Wilson to James Coleman and Clara Coleman, lot 4, Florence tract, $250.

Emeline Childs to Nettie D Smith, lot 23, block 3, Hammel & Bonker tract, $10.

John N Gray and Anna A Gray to J A Urbine, lot 38, Hiscock & Smith's addition, $1200.

Eliza Cush and Emma Cush to Eugene A Kimball, lot 2, Marathon tract, $200.

Frank C Platt and Ida Grace Platt to John Peaslee, part lot 24 in division B, James Smith's tract, $200.

Kyrle Starr Niles and William Niles to W H Perry Lumber and Mill Company, part lot 18, block E, Newell & Rader's subdivision, $10.

Charles W Damerel and Laura B Damerel to W V Whitsell, lot 20, block A, Pioneer Building Lot Association, $525.

Israel Walker and Alice Walker to Charles H Chilton, lot 7, block 7, Urmston tract, $150.

Edward Mahar to Sarah G Davis, lot 13, 14 and 15, Pacific-avenue tract, $900.

John Downing to Sarah G Davis, lots 25 and 26, block 1, Coral Home Place, $700.

Edward Mahar to Sarah G Davis, lots 25 and 26, block 2, same tract, $525.

Bridget Biggy to Hippolite E Guiol, part lot A, B Biggy tract, $125.

Kate L Arthur to Theo R Crandall and H C Harris, lot 108, block A, Live Oak Cemetery, $45.

J F Banning to D C W Sawyier, lot 108, block A, Live Oak Cemetery, $45.

Elizabeth Williams to Samantha J Sneddy, undivided one-half interest in lot 32, Western Addition, $50.

Arthur W Willson to Herman H P Olst, agreement to convey lots 47 and 48, Hiscock & Smith's second addition, $800.

Henry A Schinnerer and Wilhelmine Schinnerer to James Kennedy, lot 4, block G, Aliso tract, $1900.

Bank of America to F W Braun & Co. lot on west line of New High street 25 feet northerly from Arcadia Homestead tract, $1900.

Mary A Niemeyer to C Goodwin agreement to convey lot 15, subdivision of tracts 4 and 5, Niemeyer estate, $1075.

Catherine Dumpert and John Z Dumpert to George Gillelen, lot 21, block A, Loomis tract addition, $10.

John Hayes and Susan Hayes to J K Woolley, part lot 23, block C, Monrovia, $10.

Minnie R Lee and W Y Lee to Margaret J Ruble, lot 13, Patten Bros' subdivision, $1050.

William W Mills and Elizabeth P Mills to Benjamin Viier and Luella Belle Viier, part lot 19, Hull tract, $1200.

L C LeCount and Ruth D LeCount to Godfrey Edwards and William T Schneider, lot 22, block 10, Hall tract, $10.

W Winne and M R Winne to N P Banks, Women's Relief Corps of Grand Army of the Republic, Department of California and Nevada, No 67, part lot 14, E S Butterfield's subdivision, $400.

George K Pillsbury and Bertha A Pillsbury to Pacific Electric Railway Company, lots 18, 20, 22, 24, 26 and 28, block 54, Long Beach, $10.

State Bank and Trust Company of Los Angeles, Cal., to H Stricklin, lots 37, 38 and 39, Wilson & Gillis's subdivision, $200.

Lucy E Tredrick, formerly Lucy E Whitney, Clifford Tredrick and Arthusa F Burrows to Thomas J Hampton, lot 113, Hafen tract, $10.

C L Bundy and Hallie B Bundy to Los Angeles Building Company, lot 8, Sunset Beach tract, $10.

Redondo Improvement Company to D R Sterling, lot 52, Ocean Beach subdivision, $500.

R F Poindexter and Madeleine R Poindexter and T S Wadsworth and Mary A Wadsworth to R M Close and Alice M Close, lot 14, block A, Mrs Fitzgerald tract, $250.

F E Hoffmana and Mrs Gertrude Hoffman to J A Kemp, lot 125, Grider & Dow's Adamsstreet tract, $750.

James M Riley to Charles B Ricketson, part sec 10, 1 S 10.

Andrew R Seelye to Margaret C Seelye, lot 94, Wiesendanger tract, $200.

William Irwin to J B Tibbet, lot 14, block C, and lot 38, block E, Ela View tract, $ 25.

H B Johnson and Minnie Johnson to Mrs G E Davis, lot 253, Grider & Dow's subdivision of Ritchwalter tract, $625.

Sophie Jensen and Laura Nielsen to W B Judson, agreement to convey lots 19 and 20, block 8, Garvanza Land Company's subdivision, $620.

Hiram L Huguuin and Lydia P Huguuin to James Joseph Donovan, lot 14, block 12, Beaudry tract No 2, $10.

E Drawbaugh and Frances Drawbaugh to J W May and Alice L May, part lot 29 and 30, Dunsmoor tract, $10.

May E Stilson to Edwin B Aspinall, lot 20, Rancho Alameleno Heights, $10.

Millie S Lewis to A S Holland, part lot 9, Yawter's subdivision, $10.

Millie S Lewis to Jeannette E Pierson, part lot 9, Yawter's subdivision, $10.

Fred Zeiger and Florentine Zeiger to Jacob Prosch, lot 12, block 1, H M Ames's first subdivision of Vernon, $1250.

Carrie Cahen and S Cahen to Mary G Russell, lot 33, Cohn's Partition, $10.

R J Northam and Leotia R Northam to Victoria Trask and A W Rhodes, part lot 1, block 2½, Ord's survey, $45,000.

Charles B Ricketson to James W Smith, part sec 10, T 1 S 10, $2000.

Sarah E Ford to John A Payne and Minnie A Payne, lot 1, block A, and lot 1, block B, Smith & Swain's subdivision, $10.

Albert W Metz and Minnie D Metz to Annie T Gilroy, lot 34, block D, Montague tract, $ 0.

Total, $38,644.

KATY ON THE WARPATH.

GUTHRIE (Okla.) Aug. 19.—Day and night the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad Company keeps a guard at the desired crossing of the Katy, and the Fort Smith and Western Roads at Crowder City, I. T. The latter company refused to sign what the Katy holds to be a satisfactory agreement relative to joint business, and a joint crossing at that place. The Katy seeks to prevent the construction of the Fort Smith and Western crossing until the agreement is signed.

For Swimmers' Cramp.

If swimmers could be trained to keep cool under all circumstances there would be comparatively little drowning among bathers and summer pleasure seekers. Cramp is usually assigned as the cause when some good swimmer drowns. But cramp ought, in reality, to be nothing serious. Usually it affects only one arm or leg, or may be only a hand or foot. Any moderately good swimmer can keep afloat with one arm, or even without the use of that, yet good swimmers are drowning every week as a result of cramp. If such fatalities were analyzed they would be more properly classed as drownings from fright and loss of nerve. When a swimmer feels a leg or arm begin to cramp he is frightened, in most cases, entirely out of his wits. He loses his head, begins to splash and paw and struggle, and then goes down. What the swimmer should remember is that he can keep afloat with very little effort if he will turn on his back and keep his chest inflated. It is the simple matter of floating, which every swimmer knows and finds very easy. If the swimmer will keep cool and float the cramping limb will frequently relax after a little, and he will find himself as well as ever.—[Outing.

His Opinion.

"Do you believe in women's suffrage?"

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COLOMBIA.

DAMAGES CLAIMED FROM BRITISH COMPANY.

RESPONSIBILITY OF INTERNATIONAL COMPLICATIONS ARISING.

Colombian Government Asserts That the Refusal of Pacific Steam Navigation Company to Transport Its Troops Was a Flagrant Breach of Contract.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PANAMA (Colombia) Aug. 19.—(By South American Cable.) Inquiries made by the Associated Press show that serious international complications may arise at Buena Ventura, where the Colombian government assembled 2000 troops, under Gen. Velasco, and threatened to compel the British steamer Ecuador, owned by the Pacific Steam Navigation Company of Liverpool, to transport the reinforcements to Panama. The agents of the line refused to embark the troops, and appealed to the company's representatives here, who, in turn, placed the matter before the British consul, with the result that the cruiser Phaeton was sent to Buena Ventura to protect British interests.

The action of the Pacific Steam Navigation Company in refusing to transport the troops has caused indignation in Colombian government circles. A high official, when interviewed on the subject, said that a contract was made by the government in 1879 with the Pacific Steam Navigation Company by which the government granted many special concessions to the company, such as exemption from the tonnage dues and other taxes, the importation, free of duty, of the coal necessary for the company's steamers and many other privileges. The Colombian government, he added, since the contract was signed, paid the Pacific Steam Navigation Company over $20,000 in gold, in consideration of which the company agreed to transport Colombian civil and military employés, arms, mails, and soldiers at special rates. There is no clause in the contract, he further asserted, providing during a revolutionary outbreak the obligation of the company to convey troops ceased to be effective.

The official, the high official of the Colombian government referred to, said that the present refusal of the Pacific Steam Navigation Company to transport Colombian troops here may be followed by the presence of a British warship at Buena Ventura, but he said it is a clear violation of the contract between the Colombian government and the steamship company, made in good faith by the government, which has faithfully adhered to its agreements.

Government circles it is claimed that the non-arrival of the reinforcements of troops from Buena Ventura during the revolution on the Isthmus will cause unnecessary bloodshed, and consequently the government has ground to claim damages from the Pacific Steam Navigation Company. There is no doubt that the government will bring suit against the company. An eminent lawyer has already left Panama for Bogota, the capital, to present and sustain the government's case. According to the terms of the contract it must be decided by the Colombian courts.

NEWS FROM CUMANA.

CASTRO'S FORCES.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WILLEMSTAD (Island of Curacao) Aug. 19.—(By South American Cable.) has just reached here the seaport of Cumana, in the state of Bermudez, was occupied at noon today by the Venezuelan revolutionists without the firing of a shot.

The government forces, commanded by Gen. Velutini and the local authorities of Cumana evacuated that city last night. They withdrew to the island of Margarita, about forty miles north of Cumana, on board the steamer Oaun.

A report is current here that a number of British warships under the command of an admiral will visit La Guayra, Venezuela, in a few days, to demand for the presence of the warships in question at La Guayra will be obtained, and the report is causing considerable speculation.

Cumana, which is about two hundred miles east of La Guayra, was occupied a short time by the Venezuelan revolutionists last May. Upon the occasion also the government forces left the town without offering battle. Cumana is about fifty miles from Barcelona, which was captured by the revolutionists in the early part of the month. The revolutionists now control the custom ports of Ciudad Bolivar, Ciudad Colorado, Lavela de Cumana, Carupano, Barcelona and Cumana.

MACEDONIANS IN TROUBLE.

SOFIA, Aug. 19.—The correspondent of the Neue Weiner Tageblatt at Sofia, Bulgaria, describes in a dispatch the recent conflicts which occurred between the recent congress there of the Macedonian committee. M. Saravoff, the previous ex-president of the committee, was accused of misappropriating funds, and of being the agent of Russia during last year of Miss Ellen Stone, the American missionary. He was also accused, according to the report, of paying $10,000 to a friend named Deltacheff, who planned the kidnaping.

PORTO RICAN AGITATOR CAUGHT.

SAN JUAN (Porto Rico) Aug. 19.—Santiago Iglesias, president of the Federation of Workmen of Porto Rico, has been arrested at Aguidilla for issuing bulletins criticising and attacking the insular authorities for their attitude in recent labor strikes. He was released in $500 bail.

CEDAR RAPIDS RAINFALL.

CEDAR RAPIDS (Iowa) Aug. 19.—A rainfall of 1.79 inches did damage in this city, estimated at from $100,000 to $150,000 tonight, washing out street car tracks, lawns, bridges and culverts, and flooding basements and cellars.

NO FAIR WILL FILED.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Up to the hour of closing the Surrogate Court this afternoon, the will of Charles L. Tiffany had not been filed. According to instructions given to Mrs. Oelrich's attorneys by Justice Rich, the will, if one should be found, was to be filed by 3 o'clock this afternoon.

BORNEO TOWN BURNED.

LONDON, Aug. 20.—From Singapore, Straits Settlement, a correspondent of the Daily Express cables that the town of Pontianak, near the West Coast of Dutch Borneo, has been almost completely destroyed by fire. Many lives were lost.

THE PAUL JONES ACCEPTED.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The Paul Jones, the last of the torpedo boats ordered by the Union Iron Works, has been accepted by the government.

SLIPSHOD ACCOUNTS

(CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.)

have been done that I know nothing of." After following a certain line of interrogation, Campbell established the fact that some furniture had been manufactured in the carpenter shop of the prison "off and on," for the use of the employés of the prison.

Whiting objected to the scope of the questions asked by Campbell, asserting that the only fact that Campbell could attempt to establish at this stage of the proceedings was the fact, as alleged by the Call, that Gov. Gage had been a beneficiary of improper acts on the part of the prison officials.

Campbell replied that he proposed to show that Gov. Gage had been a beneficiary of the criminal acts of the prison employés, and that he was an accessory, having been a part of a gigantic scheme, and had a full knowledge of the unlawful acts of the prison officials.

Whiting asserted that the fact that there may have been other beneficiaries of the alleged unlawful acts of the prison officials constituted a separate and distinct offense, and should not be included in the case at point.

At this juncture court was adjourned for the noon recess.

DAMAGING TESTIMONY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—When court reconvened it was agreed by Judge Fritz and the counsel on both sides to let the matter of the competence of Joseph Aguirre's testimony in the alleged corruption at San Quentin go over until tomorrow.

A. S. Weil, of the firm of Stein, Simon & Co., was the next witness. He said that on October 13, 1899, his company had sold to an official at San Quentin, material for a very fine suit of clothes. The total cost was $44.40, and a bill was rendered for the amount, with the items correctly set forth.

Campbell showed the witness a bill of his firm for $44.40 on the same date, but it called for bolts of prison cloth.

"Is that the original bill?" asked the lawyer.

"The top of it is," replied Weil, "but the bottom has been pasted on, and is not in the handwriting of any of our clerks."

"On the date given in the bill did your firm sell any such goods to San Quentin?"

"We did not."

The witness was subjected to a long cross-examination, but it did not change his statement in the least.

Frederick G. Gantner, book-keeper for Stein, Simon & Co., was shown an itemized bill of that firm against the commissary department of the prison, dated October 13, 1899. He said that the top part was in his handwriting, but the lower portion, which was pasted on, was not. The witness said that he believed the bill was paid, as it did not appear on the books.

Sigmund Stern, of Levi Strauss & Co., the next witness, gave evidence of the same sort.

Attorney Campbell then walked up to the witness with an itemized bill of the firm against the State prison, dated April 30, 1901, for binding tape, napkins, doylies and table damask, amounting to $36.20, and thus began the interrogation:

"State to the court whether you know who bought these goods."

"They were not bought by requisition," the witness said.

"Did you furnish the goods to Mrs. Gage and Mrs. Aguirre?"

"Yes."

"Can you tell the goods ordered by Mrs. Gage and Mrs. Aguirre that were ordered to be charged to the State's Prison of California, if I show you the bills?"

"I think I could."

"Do you remember whether or not the goods were furnished by the order of either one of these ladies?"

"I cannot answer that."

Campbell then produced a bill dated July 31, 1901, for cassimere and flannel aggregating $391.81, and the witness proceeded to explain:

"These are contract goods and they were sent to the State prison. I cannot tell you by looking at the dates who bought them."

"Can you tell what goods, if any, went to the State prison?"

"All of them."

"Upon the order of these ladies?"

"No."

"Can you tell whether these goods were sent to the State prison by the order of these ladies?"

"Individually I cannot tell you without looking at the shipping tickets."

"I show you another bill, dated September 30, 1901."

"That writing I recognize. The lower portion is not in the handwriting of any of the book-keepers of Levi, Strauss & Co."

"I ask you whether or not, to your knowledge, Levi, Strauss & Co., ever presented this bill, marked 'Correct, M. G. Aguirre and Francis Foley,' to the State Prison Commissioners?"

"No, sir."

"Then I take another bill, dated July 31, 1901, with the billhead of Levi Strauss & Co., and ask you to look at the pasted part underneath, and I ask you if the handwriting on that bill underneath is in the handwriting of any book-keeper of your firm?"

"No, sir; but this bill head at the top is."

Whiting objected to the admission of the evidence of the witness as the sales could not be identified, but Judge Fritz overruled the motion, and Campbell read to the witness the contents of two other bills containing items for several night shirts.

Whiting moved that this evidence be ruled out as concerned the last two, until proof was obtained that they were not forged or bogus bills. Campbell replied that the defense claimed that the bills were alterations of the two preceding bills.

On cross-examination, the witness said that he did not know whether the sales he had referred to were made to Mrs. Gage of Mrs. Aguirre.

"These bills, then, were not presented by your firm?" Campbell interposed.

"I know they could not be," the witness replied, "because the books and the bills do not correspond. Some items are not on the bills that appear on the books."

In reply to Whiting the witness said: "I am positive the bills have been tampered with. The lithographed portions have been cut off, and the bodies substituted."

In concluding the hearing for the day Campbell called R. P. Roper, a clerk the Comptroller's office at Sacramento, to prove that the bills were official records, and then he read Warden Aguirre's affidavits that they were correct, and called for "goods solely to be used for the benefit of the State."

CASE AGAINST GAGE.

STATEMENT OF ATTORNEY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—Attorney Campbell in his speech in the libel case yesterday, said in part:

"Your Honor, please, as this defense will be, in all probability, put in by fragmentary parts of evidence, as it will be necessary to subpoena witnesses from various parts of the State of California, I deem it necessary and expedient at this time, in justice to Your Honor, and to avoid contentions hereafter to make a statement of what the defendants in this case expect to prove in justification of that article which it has been proven was published of and concerning the Governor, Henry T. Gage, on the 24th day of May of this year.

"That article, it is alleged in the complaint, charges corruption at San Quentin; charges falsification of the books at San Quentin; charges forgery of the bills at San Quentin; charges extravagant use of State property at San Quentin, and the diverting of it from the various purposes for which it was purchased.

"We will show to Your Honor, we believe, before this evidence is finished, that there has been as far-reaching a conspiracy to defraud the State of California as has ever been unearthed in any jurisdiction on the face of this globe."

Campbell then spoke of the appointment of Daniel Kevane as secretary of the State Board of Examiners; of Martin Aguirre as warden of San Quentin; of Francis Foley as commissary of the prison, and of Joseph Aguirre as assistant warden. He then continued as follows:

"We expect to show that as soon as these people were installed in their various positions there commenced a system of peculation, thievery and larceny from the property of the State, for the purpose of not only rewarding the friends and relatives of the warden, but also the political friends of the Governor, and of taking to his own use and benefit a vast amount of the State property, which passed into the possession of himself and his family by this method.

"Upon the question of general corruption we will show to Your Honor that there has not been a single department in the prison at San Quentin that has not been reeking with fraud and corruption for a number of years.

"We will show to you—and now is not the time to mince matters, because the public has a right to know of these things—we will show to you that for a number of months in each year since Warden Aguirre has been in charge of San Quentin, the Governor's family practically made that their home four, five, six or seven months; that while the warden is allowed $100 a month for his sustenance out of the public funds, he has exceeded that every month by many hundreds of dollars. We will show that that excess, being caused by the fact that these people were there living off the State, instead of being paid for by the private moneys of either of those who used it, or the warden whose guests they were presumed to be, has been paid for by the State, and that the excess over $100 a month had been charged up to cement sidewalks, to paints, oils, varnishes, to the officers' mess, by juggling of the books. That they have covered up these entire things.

"Now, if the court please, it is also alleged in this article that Henry T. Gage was the beneficiary of these fraudulent and dishonest acts. In support of that proposition we will show to Your Honor not only and in addition to the fact that his family has been at the warden's house, and living at the expense of the State a great portion of the time since he came into the office, and that the expense of that has been charged, as I have heretofore stated—we will show that in the year 1901, the wife of the Governor of this State, accompanied by the wife of Joseph Aguirre, the deputy warden of the penitentiary of this State, went to the reputable house of Levi Strauss & Co., in San Francisco, and without a requisition purchased, and had charged to the California State Prison—this was on April 13, 1901—five dozen napkins, three dozen doylies and a half-dozen gowns, making a total of $34.20.

"We will show to Your Honor that when this bill was presented to the State Board of Examiners, of which Gov. Gage is the President and Mr. Kevane is the Secretary, by some peculiar and curious system of manipulation this one-half dozen night gowns was turned into table cloths—this being done by a convict who was in the penitentiary serving a sentence for having broken and outraged the law, under the charge of this man, who was supposed to be able, not only to restrain, but to reform.

"Each one of these bills which I have referred to was marked 'correct' by the warden and 'correct' by the commissary, passed upon by the State Board of Examiners, and allowed in that same way."

Campbell then said that it was proposed to show that two sets of harness made in San Quentin had been shipped to the Governor. He then continued:

"We will show also that for the family of Henry T. Gage have been manufactured in the prison, curtains, settees, hammocks, table covers, and furniture covering, and all shipped to them in Southern California.

"In another department of the prison, if Your Honor please, the machinery department, we will show that the friends of the warden have not been forgotten; that there is a certain patent brick-making machine; we will show that four of them were manufactured at San Quentin, and that three of them are now in operation adjacent to San Quentin, and one of them in an adjacent county; that the material out of which they were made was paid for by the State, and the workmen were the convicts in the penitentiary at San Quentin. We will also show that not being satisfied with the furniture, not being satisfied with the Kerseys, not being satisfied with the trimmings and upholstery, that there was a convict in the penitentiary who was particularly gifted as an artist or a painter on china and glass ware, and that at the expense of the State a studio was fixed up for him, and that he was kept there for over a year and a half painting china for the Governor and his family, and we will trace it to the place at which it was burned, and we will trace those packages down to the Governor's ranch in Southern California at Downey.

"We will show to you that after the publication of these articles with these particular things pointed out to us, notice with exactitude that the Governor of the State of California, chairman of the State Board of Examiners, called a committee of inquisition to determine whether or nay there had been any reckless expenditure or waste or theft of public funds at San Quentin. That committee consisted of Henry T. Gage, chairman of the Board of Examiners; Daniel Kevane, secretary of the Board of Examiners; Francis Foley, commissary at San Quentin and Martin G. Aguirre, warden at San Quentin. That he invoking the power which he had under the State, asked and received from the State Controller these bills which showed on their face that they were counterfeit, false and forged, and had before them the regular bills of the same date—that Henry T. Gage and this inquisition of his, having each and all of these things before them, which had been particularly called to their attention came out and announced to the public that there had been no waste; there had been no misappropriation of public funds.

"When we show this to Your Honor as I assert in all confidence we shall be able to do because the greater portion of it depends upon the records, then we shall expect that we shall be dismissed of this charge, not upon any technical ground, but upon the ground that the charges made in that article were true, and that the defendants conducting and carrying on a public journal published these facts for justifiable ends in order that the public might know how their servants were serving them, in order that the taxpayer might know where the money of the State that was devoted to San Quentin was going. Having, as I say, shown all these things, we shall confidently ask that we be dismissed of this charge."

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SCHWAB MAKES DENIAL OF RESIGNATION STORY.

FEELS NECESSITY OF A REST AND IS GOING TO TAKE IT.

Apparently Well Verified Report That the President of the Steel Corporation is Soon to Retire Was Evidently Circulated Without Consulting Him.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Charles M. Schwab, the president of the United States Steel Corporation, arrived here this evening. He was accompanied by his brother, Joseph Schwab, and his private secretary. He stepped briskly to a car, and as he did so he said to a number of newspaper men present:

"Now, gentlemen, I am going to tell you three things, and I don't want you to ask me further questions. In the first place I don't look like a sick man. In the second place I feel the necessity of a rest, and am going to take it. In the third, I am not going to resign, and have no intention of retiring from the presidency of the United States Steel Corporation."

"Are you going to Europe?" Schwab was asked.

"Yes," he replied, "but don't ask me any more questions. That's all I have to say.

GOING TO FRANCE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ALTOONA (Pa.) C. M. Schwab, who passed here today, disclosed his destination to an old Altoona friend, who has talked with him since he has been at Loretta. He said he was going to France, where he will take a course of treatment at the mineral springs of that country. His chief ailment is an affection of the nerves.

Mrs. Schwab is not with her husband. She will remain at Loretto during his absence.

WHITNEY'S PLANS.

SARATOGA, Aug. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In pursuance of a plan to bring most of the great annual sales of yearlings to Saratoga, William C. Whitney, president of the Saratoga Association of the Improvement of Breed Horses, has bought all the land lying east of East avenue and south of Speedway, as far east as the Crosby property. The purchase gives Whitney over one hundred and twenty acres, including Horse Haven property. While a large part of the property will be devoted to the new yearling stables, and a three-quarter-mile straight-away, Whitney has in mind the erection of a big frame building for the accommodation of the large force of attendants imported every year to look after the track and its appointments.

The significant feature of the purchase, however, is the emphasis it places on the Saratoga track's plan for making a strong bid for the yearling sales of the great thoroughbred nurseries of the South and West.

Between the fifth and sixth races today the two-year-old colt Mexican, who was recently purchased by R. T. Wilson, Jr., for $20,000, and was then found to be lame, worked five furlongs in 1:07. The colt moved along easily, and showed no signs of the ailment which created so much talk. Trainer Tom Haley was delighted with the way Mexican pulled up, and it confident he will be able to go to the post for the Futurity.

A meeting of the stewards of the Jockey Club which was to have been held today for the purpose of appointing a number of patrol judges, has been postponed until tomorrow. The idea originated with W. C. Whitney, and has met with universal approval. There has been so much rough riding of late, especially in the Saratoga special and United States Hotel Stakes, that the stewards have reached the conclusion that something must be done.

By appointing patrol judges, who will be stationed along the backstretch, on turns, and in the middle of the stretch, it is believed jockeys will be compelled to exercise more care than they have in the past. It is argued, too, that the presence of these new officials will increase the public's confidence in racing, inasmuch as it will be impossible for jockeys to do anything that might lead to adverse criticism.

TO SAVE ERUPTION SURVIVORS.

YOKOHAMA, Aug. 19.—The Japanese cruiser Taka Chiho, which is going to Marcus Island, has been ordered to succor any possible survivors of the volcanic eruption which occurred there between August 13 and 15, and as a result all the inhabitants of the island, numbering 150 persons, were reported to have been killed.

The Broadway Department Store

DON'T WORRY — WITH US CROWD

BROADWAY COR FOURTH—LOS ANGELES—ARTHUR LETTS PROPRIETOR

More Blue Pencil Prices

The second week of this Blue Pencil price sale bids fair to eclipse last week's phenomenal record. Prices have been cut deeper and deeper. More profits gone glimmering. New merchandise is being added day by day at prices that will appeal to all economical buyers. It's more comfortable to trade in the morning—we can serve you in the afternoons—but these busy days the store is sometimes uncomfortably crowded. Note these few items from today's Bargain List.

75c Cheviot Skirting 59c

Cheviot skirting; full 54 inches wide; in oxford, blues and brown; has sufficient body to be made up without lining; well worth 75c; Blue Pencil price, today, per yard, 59c.

65c Wool Venetians 48c

38-inch all-wool venetian; full range of desirable shades; smooth lustrous surface; excellent for tailor-made garments; cheap at 75c; Blue Pencil price, today per yard, 48c.

$1.25 Wool Zybaline 98c

48-inch zybaline; solid grounds illuminated with the popular camel's-hair effects; an advance shipment; fall materials; a $1.25 value; Blue Pencil price, today, per yard, 98c.

20c Mercerized Glass Cloth 15c

Mercerized glass cloth for lining, full yard wide; a splendid substitute for silk; has the brilliancy and rustle of taffeta; all colors, cheap at 20c; Blue Pencil price, today, per yard, 15c.

Note These Prices on Silks.

27-in. black taffeta silk, lustrous metallic finish, desirable for bolero and coffee jackets; these were purchased before the advance; they represent a splendid value at $1.25; today only, per yd.... 98c

Corded wash silks; a choice range of colors; there are about 22 pieces in the lot; this is the grade that's usually retailed at 50c; today, while they last, per yard.... 29c

28 pieces of fancy Lazerne stripes for waists and evening dresses; these are all silks; full 19 inches wide; beautiful color combinations, 98c value; today, per yard.... 59c

Blue Pencil Prices from the Second Floor

Silk Raglans Pretty seasonable outer garments; long cut; in taffetas, peau de soies and moires; some trimmed with lace; others with straps and tailor stitching; loose or fitted backs; these are new garments representing good values up to $20.00; divided into two lots for today selling at

$8.98 and $10.98 Each

Dainty Gowns Pretty muslin nightgowns; some of the handsomest styles shown this season; low neck; French styles; empire styles and high neck; all sorts of trimmings; in laces, embroideries, hemstitching and tucks; some of the greatest values we've ever shown; divided into two lots for today selling at

75c and 98c Each

New Jackets $4.98

Light weight jackets, made from all wool black cheviot. Roumaine lined. Nobby fly front styles, 19 inches long, new arrivals, $6 values. Blue Pencil price, each $4.98.

$1.25 Waists 85c

10 dozen new white shirt waists, front of solid hemstitching and embroidery, tucked backs, fancy cuffs. Good range of sizes, $1.25 values. Blue Pencil price, each, 85c.

$2.00 Wrappers $1.25

New soft finish cambric wrappers, specially handsome cloths, embroidery trimmed, all light colors—mostly black and white. Extra values at $2. Blue Pencil price, each, $1.25.

$1.50 Walking Hats 25c

A mixed assortment of straw walking hats, excellent straws; nicely trimmed, stylish practical shapes that have sold freely at prices ranging up to $1.50. Blue Pencil price Wednesday, each, 25c

50c Flowers for 10c

A special assortment of flowers, including roses and fancy blossoms of almost every description; fresh, seasonable goods; extraordinary values up to 50c. Blue Pencil price, per bunch, 10c.

Sale of Made-up Bed Linen.

Here's another matchless opportunity to lay in a supply of ready made sheets and pillow cases. Notwithstanding the fact that prices on cotton goods are steadily advancing we offer for today and Thursday a line of high grade sheets and pillow cases at less than the wholesale price. Remember that these prices will hold good only today and tomorrow, Thursday, until one o'clock.

Monarch Sheets, 72x90 inches, 38c.

These monarch sheets are well and favorably known from the Atlantic to the Pacific. They are torn by hand and finished with three-inch hem. Size 72x90 inches; on sale at, each, 38c. Same grade of sheets, size 81x90 inches, on sale at, each, 49c.

Monarch Pillow Cases Size 42x36 Inches.... 8½c

Monarch pillow cases—made to match Monarch sheets—torn by hand, finished with three inch hem. Size 42x36, 8½c. Size 45x36, each, 9c.

Matchless Pillow Cases Size 42 x 36 inches.... 7½c

Matchless pillow cases made of good firm muslin—finished with three inch hem. Ready for use. Size 42 x 36, each, 7½c; Size 45 x 36, each, 8c.

Today's Basement Bargains

Double lined Russia iron ovens; suitable for gas, gasoline or oil stoves; well worth $3.00. Blue Pencil price today each.... $1.24

Red rubber hose; seven-ply; guaranteed for two years; length of 50 feet; complete with couplings; today, per length.... $5.25

Galvanized iron slop buckets; 12 quart size; with cover; these are often sold at 60c; Blue Pencil price, today each.... 29c

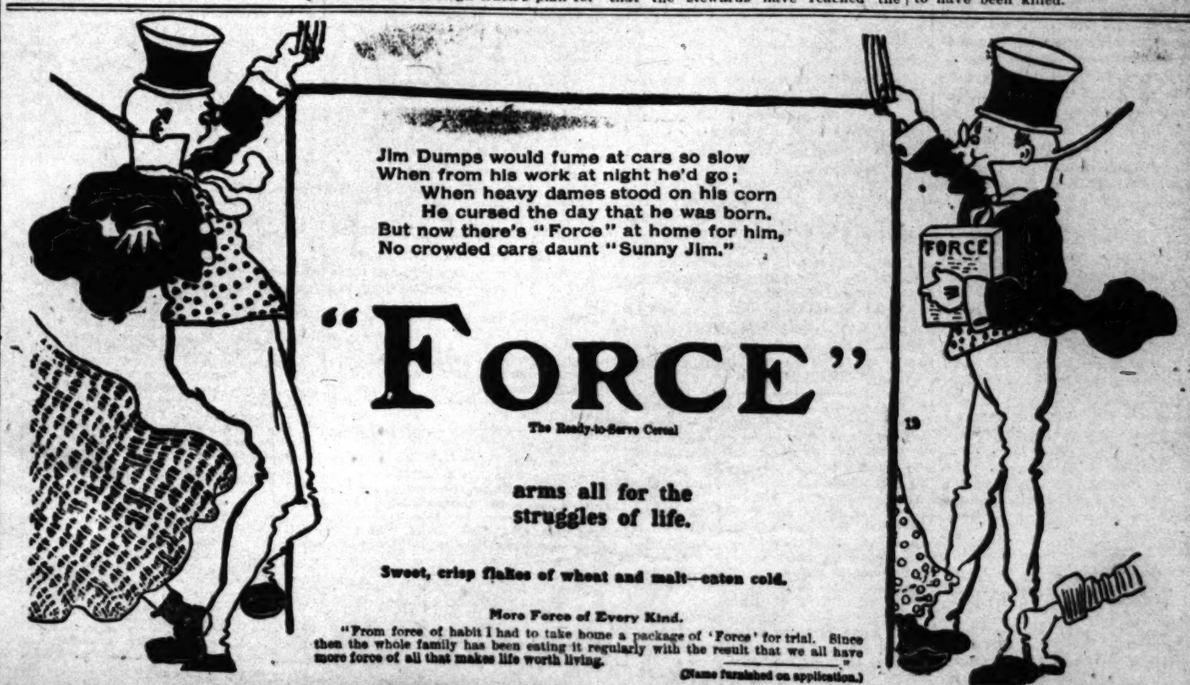
Garden rakes or hoes; good strong steel ones with serviceable handles; you seldom buy as good a garden tool at 25c; Blue Pencil price, today, each.... 19c

VERY LADY-LIKE.

Little Bessie: Mother, Minnie has been in to see me today, and she behaved like a lady.

Mother (smiling:) And I hope you did, too, Ethel.

Ethel: Yes, indeed I did; I turned somersets for her on the bed.



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BUSINESS.

The exchanges brought into the Los Angeles clearinghouse yesterday amounted to $668,672.19, a figure denoting good business activity for summer. For the corresponding period last year the exchanges were $469,562.19.

Dealings on the stock exchange yesterday rose over the half-million mark. Selling of stocks for London account was a factor in the firmer exchange market.

THE COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republican County Convention has made rapid progress, accomplishing more than usual on the first day. A full report of the proceedings is presented elsewhere. Four candidates for judges of the Superior Court were nominated and a set of resolutions was adopted, among them one indorsing the administration of Gov. Gage and another "instructing" for Senator Perkins.

A Republican county convention might meet in Los Angeles every day for a month and pass resolutions indorsing Gov. Gage, without affecting the result of the State campaign or blinding the eyes of the people to the significant fact that Gage got only about half of the delegation of his home county. The "push" can't get away from that with all their packed committees on resolutions. It is the all-telling fact of the political situation in California. Gov. Gage got only a half-support at home and got that with Democratic votes.

Neither was the action of the convention "instructing" for Senator Perkins of any consequence. This convention had no power to "instruct" Assemblymen and Senators to be chosen by other conventions. The Assembly and Senatorial district conventions will name the men to vote for a United States Senator; and the "instructions" of a county convention are of no more weight on this point than would be the "instructions" of a Dutch picnic.

WARNING FROM SOUTH AFRICA.

There have been published, in American papers, many glowing reports of the grand openings that would be found for young men in South Africa, "after the war is over," and not a few discontented or restless young Americans have doubtless been led to yearn for the Promised Land that stretches across veldt and mountain, from Cape Town almost to Cairo. To judge from a letter recently published in an English paper, such ambitious young men would do well to go slow, for a time at least.

The letter referred to is from a Pretoria correspondent of the London Express. He says that South Africa must be specially prepared for immigration. At present it is not prepared to support the people already in the country. "South Africa may easily absorb a million fighting men; it cannot absorb an army of workers. Already there is keen competition for work, while the cost of living has perceptibly increased. On the Rand, two thousand unskilled men are clamoring for work, and the mine owners, on urgent appeal, and as an act of grace for services rendered on the battlefield, have agreed to find work for these men at thirty shillings—$7.50—a week, and quarters, for a limited period. Even the anthracite coal miners, now on a strike, would turn up their noses at such wages. All this, notwithstanding the fact that permits for miners to come up from the coast are obtained with the greatest difficulty. In short, white men are clamorous for Kaffirs' work, at Kaffirs' pay, in what is said to be the most expensive city of the world—Johannesburg. Many irregular troopers who have elected to remain in the country, and have exhausted their pay, are swelling the army of those in search of work, so it happens that legitimate miners, who had before the war been in demand at $6.25 a day, now see men working in their places at $1.25, while at the same time the lowest rate for indifferent board an' a share of a crowded bedroom is $6.25 a week. That is on the coast. In the Transvaal and Orange River Colony the mechanic has to pay from $40 to $50 a month for board and lodging, and 35 cents for a glass of beer, in that awfully hot country. Surely, not a very enticing prospect."

The correspondent referred to adds a classified list of occupations, with the average wages paid, and states whether persons competent to fill these positions are in "good demand," "small demand," or "no demand." Of the thirty-six occupations mentioned the following fourteen are said to be in demand, or in good demand, at the salaries indicated, which have been reduced to American currency: Barmaids, $20 to $50 (probably per month;) blacksmiths, $2.50 to $3.15 per day; bricklayers, $3.50 to $4.00; chemists (druggists,) $70 to $100; drapers (dry goods clerks,) $50 to $90; dressmakers, milliners and saleswomen, $60 to $100; hairdressers, $70 to $100; jewelers (watchmakers,) $70 to $125; domestic servants, $15 to $20 per month; stenographers and typewriters, $60 to $100; tailors: trousers, $1.65, jackets $4.40; typists (typesetters,) $50 to $70; waitresses, $20 to $25; youths, office boys, junior clerks, $30 to $60.

In considering these figures, it is well to remember, as the correspondent says, that the rush to Africa has already set in, that people are crowding at the coast, that the supply of labor of all sorts is rapidly overreaching the demand, and that a decline in wages is inevitable.

In regard to the prospects for settlement on the land, the correspondent says all the farming land in the vicinity of markets is privately owned, and is worked with Kaffir "labour." A man with modest capital would have to contend against the exceptionally high cost of transit and the "innumerable plagues which beset the industry." Evidently, the farmer's lot in South Africa, as in some other places, is not altogether a happy one. Agriculture in South Africa, says the correspondent, is a matter for the exclusive consideration of the capitalist, and it is a problem he will not tackle while he can speculate in gold-mining properties. He concludes his letter as follows:

"Before any Britisher forsakes his billet, breaks up his home, and bids farewell to his comfortable surroundings, he should carefully study wage rates and cost of living in South Africa. Above all, he should be in no hurry to herd with the thousands crowding on the coast."

These remarks are still more applicable to our own people than to Britishers, for it is a long and expensive cry from Southern California to South Africa.

The weather that Southern California, and more particularly Los Angeles, has been having this summer, is such as to commend this section of the world to the country in general as just about the finest summer resort on the continent. Although it is "the style" for Angelenos to go away from home in the summer months, when they do so they frequently desert the best climate there is to get into one that is far outside the Los Angeles class. The man who can find it in his heart to complain of the weather that has been ruling in these parts since last spring would find fault with Paradise and complain about the tone of his harp.

THE PACE THAT KILLS.

The latest multi-millionaire to succumb to the terrific pace of modern American business life is Schwab, who went up like a financial rocket, and appears destined to come down a physical wreck. In contemplating the fate of Rockefeller, Schwab and others who have met a similar fate, the millionaire's job loses some of its charms, although there will doubtless always be plenty of applicants for such positions, just as there are for places in a powder magazine. However, it is really not necessary that millionaires should be overtaken with paresis in middle life. If they would only sleep eight hours every night, miss a couple of meals once a week, mix a little water in their Burgundy, take daily outdoor exercise, and regularly read the "Care of the Body" department of The Times, they might reach a green old age, like ordinary people.

The Gageites will endeavor to make it a Republican Trading Convention, instead of a Republican State Convention. It remains for the straightforward Republicans, who will convene at Sacramento on the 25th inst., to fool the gang. They have the votes to do it with, and, if properly organized, the Dan Burns trick, which has been worked on the party in this State as often as the gold-brick game has on the rubes from Missouri, will fall of turning. Eternal vigilance is the price of defeating the machinations of the political gangsters.

Congressman Eddy of Minnesota expresses confidence that the Republicans will control the next House of Representatives. If they don't it will be because the American people are much shorter sighted than they are believed to be by those who are well acquainted with the great political family.

A Waterloo, Iowa, preacher has run off with $250 and another girl. If she has an appetite like the most of them, eating will be discontinued after about two weeks, unless they stop at the Waldorf-Astoria, in which event the couple won't be able to eat more than twice or three times.

Another volcanic eruption has buried an island, in Japan, with 150 persons. Mother Earth is certainly going through a period of unrest, but there is no reason to fear that the world is coming to an end. The earth has its occasional internal troubles, as well as the people who inhabit it.

The war in Colombia is not to interfere with the canal arrangements, according to a Washington dispatch to The Times. Of course not. When Uncle Sam gets ready to go to digging he will shoo those scrappers off the right of way and proceed to dig in.

The remarkable information comes from New York that the Jewish population of that big city is 584,738, or one-fourth of the total population of Manhattan. It is no wonder that New York is rapidly replacing London as the financial center of the world.

If it is a fact, as stated in a special dispatch to The Times, that Dick Croker assisted in the elimination of Bryan from the political chessboard, then the sage of Wantage has shown that there must be something of good in even the most evil things.

The Indians of Oklahoma are "war" and "crow" dancing, but there is not the same old lurid whoop in the steps that there used to be. The noble red Lo has become but little more than a sideshow. And scalps are resting easier therefor.

The Shah has arrived in London with more diamonds and other glittering rocks on him than a Newport woman wears at a horse show. What a haul he would be for some fellow who likes sparklers!

That sweet thing, a $10,000,000 candy trust that has been spoken of, is not to be. That will be nice for the boys, who can still fill a girl up with about 25 cents' worth.

There is a shortage in the Indiana apple crop, but the State is turning out new novelists and poets to the full limit of the demand, if not overproducing a trifle.

The Pope will recall the friars, but not with a brass-band accompaniment. It is perhaps just as well to hunt friars without a collection of brass instruments.

King Edward shook hands with the Boer generals without any fussy attachments—it was man to man. And that is the only way for men of sense to meet.

The disintegration of the Gage "push" will come about with rapidity when they see the handwriting on the wall at Sacramento as scored with a Flint-y stylus.

Now that Joe Campbell has begun making remarks there will be something saying of interest to volcanic politicians. Bend your ear toward Joey.

Mr. Schwab will quit the management of the steel trust, after all that has been said to the contrary. The billion-dollar grind is too much for any man.

Corp. O'Brien will stand trial and the American people will be able to stand it to see him festooning the interior of a good, strong jail some place.

The builders of trolley lines will not be able to do much successful bragging until they can run cars as fast as a Frenchman can an automobile.

There has been a cyclone at Lost Springs. Cyclones manage to blow into notice places that we would otherwise never hear of.

Asphalt is now at bedrock price. And that is where the pavement is on Broadway—plumb down to bedrock.

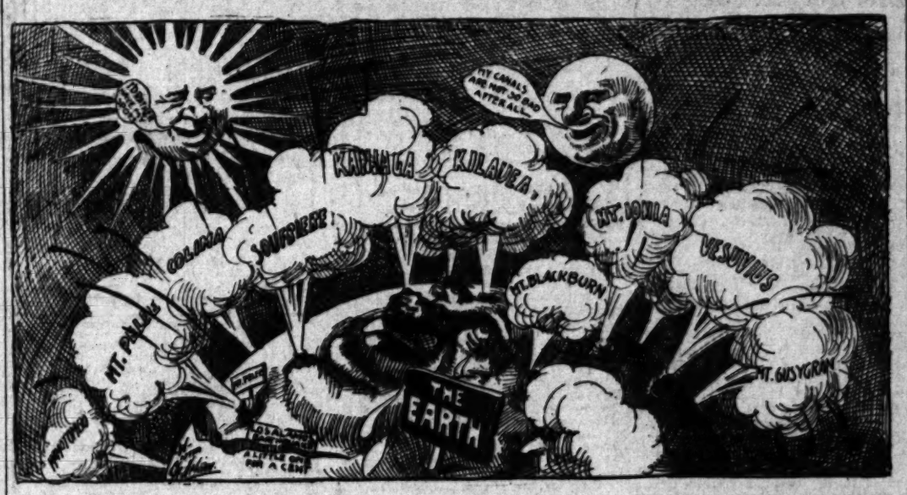
Yesterday was the politician's busy day. There will be some more of the same at Sacramento next week.

The future of Los Angeles is now dating up to the time when Broadway will be resurfaced.

A Frank Short horse is soon curried, especially if he is a narrow-Gage horse.

We would advise Turkey to roost a little high, as Uncle Sam is after her.

FUN IN THE SOLAR SYSTEM.



EVENTS IN SOCIETY.

Lieut. George J. Oden, Tenth Cavalry, U.S.A., who is here en route from the Philippines to Fort McKenzie, Wyo., was the guest of honor last evening at a lawn party given by "We Boys" class of the First M. E. Sunday-school at the home of the teacher, Mrs. J. D. Burch, No. 1416 South Flower street. The lieutenant, who was for several years a member of the class organization, and who now sustains an honorary membership, has only been in the city since Wednesday, and he received a royal welcome last evening from former classmates and friends, who embraced this, their first opportunity, to extend a formal greeting. The gathering was the quarterly open meeting, when the members bring sweethearts and wives, and as the class roster shows an average attendance of between seventy-five and eighty, with an enrollment of over one hundred, it goes almost without saying that there was a large attendance. The Japanese lanterns made spots of vivid color here and there among the trees that threw long black shadows into the clear moonlight, and on the back lawn, where a fine musical and literary programme was given, the folds of Old Glory floated out on an occasional breeze. The feature of the programme was an address by the guest of honor. The subjoined name of last night's gathering was a "Watermelon social," and the title role was made prominent the latter part of the evening. On the principle that men are but boys grown tall, several of "We Boys" have passed the time when they cast their first ballot, and some have taken unto themselves wives. A number of these young matrons assisted Mrs. Burch in her charming hospitality, and aided in making the evening one of the prettiest, as well as the pleasantest, of the midsummer events.

For Miss Mullins.

Among the "first night" parties who were present to greet Miss Bloodgood at the Orpheum Monday evening was one given by George De Bose for Miss Ethel Mullins. Other guests were Miss De Bose of San Francisco, Miss Donna Felter, Messrs. Karl Klokke and Joe Easton. Supper was enjoyed at Levy's after the performance.

Payne-Rademacher.

The marriage of Miss L. Isabel Rademacher, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rademacher, of No. 814 East Vernon avenue, and Lee L. Payne, was quietly solemnized yesterday at noon by Rev. Will A. Knighten, in the presence of about twenty-five relatives and intimate friends. The bride wore a dainty dress of white organdy, cut en traine over white silk, and trimmed with quantities of valenciennes lace. Her bouquet was white carnations. She was attended by Miss Ella B. Payne, a sister of the groom, who wore white organdy with garniture of lace and ribbon, and carried pink carnations. George Raymond Eddy, a cousin of the bride, from Lansing, Mich., Completed the bridal party. The ceremony, which took place at the home of the bride's parents, was performed in the parlor, one corner of which was transformed into a bower, banked with papyrus and white flowers; all the rooms were elaborately decorated. The ceremony was witnessed by relatives and intimate friends only, about twenty-five being present, who were guests at the wedding breakfast which followed. Mr. and Mrs. Payne left last evening for San Francisco, where they will spend some time, and on their return will reside at No. 814 East Vernon avenue.

The bride's going-away gown was of brown Venetian cloth, tailor made, with which was worn a handsome white hat of felt. Mr. Payne, who is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Payne of No. 605 East Sixth street, is in the employ of the Southern Pacific Company, holding a position in the local freight department. The young people will be at home to their friends after September 1.

Girls' Luncheon.

Miss Grace Mellus entertained friends at luncheon Thursday at her West Adams street home, the party being composed of Miss Irene Stevens, Miss Hazel Noonan, Miss Beatrice Wigmore, Miss Marion McGilvray, Miss Florence Silent, Miss Donna Felter, Miss Grace McCormick, Miss Julie Carvell, Miss Ella Clark, Miss Merelina Seymour, Miss Susie Howard and Miss Katherine Mellus.

Informal Entertaining.

Col. and Mrs. F. H. Seymour, who entertain informally each Sunday with afternoon tea in the garden of their beach home at Redondo, dispensed their charming hospitality to fully sixty-five guests the first day of this week. Among the callers, many of them from Los Angeles, were Mr. and Mrs. William Pridham, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Haskins, Mrs. I. B. Van Nuys, Misses Susie Carpenter, Helen Newlin, Ethel Mullins, Marion McGilvray, Grace Mellus, Grace McCormack, Felter, Susie Howard, Alby Easton, Fannie Shoemaker of Pasadena, Smith, Beatrice Wigmore, Annis Van Nuys, Messrs. Crocker, American Consul at Guaymas, Volney Howard, Joe Easton, Lang Easton, Smith, Donald McGilvray, Guy Corson, De Bose, Waldo Norris, Howard Squires, James Hobbs.

For Eastern Guests.

Mrs. Georgia Chapman entertained at dinner at the home of her mother, Mrs. A. E. Wilson, No. 1835 West Twelfth street, in honor of Mrs. Steinberger of Kansas City, and Mr. and Mrs. Utterback of Boston. Covers were laid for eighteen. Besides the guests of honor those present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vale, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Honeywell, Dr. and Mrs. Summer A. Quint, Mrs. Florence Collins Porter, Mrs. J. K. Gries and Miss Madge Teague of Nordhoff, Mrs. A. E. Wilson, Miss Mollie Wilson, Miss Margaret Honeywell and Masters Charles Honeywell, Jack Steinberger.

Notes and Personals.

Mrs. John King of West Seventh street went to Redondo Monday for a week by the sea.

Mrs. J. A. Pirtle and daughter of South Hope street entertained a few friends informally last evening complimentary to their guest, Miss Caroline Connell of Phoenix, Ariz. Ping-pong and euchre were the entertainment offered.

Miss Donna Felter, who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. H. F. Peck, in the Baker Block, and who is always the recipient of much attention during her visits to Los Angeles, where she is a great favorite, will return to her northern home today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds of Hastings, Neb., are guests of Mrs. Reynolds's brother, O. D. Sparks, at No. 922 East Eighth street.

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

ANTI-"PUSH" CONVENTION.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, Aug. 19.—Today's events in the Republican County Convention closed with even honors between Charles S. Hardy and E. S. Babcock, who have been popularly regarded as the leaders of the dominant forces of the party, but who today did not, so it appeared, work together in the spirit of friendship and harmony. Hardy's man Eugene Daney, won in the chairmanship fight, although it is claimed that there was no special significance in that. E. S. Torrance, who was opposed by Hardy, and not particularly supported by Babcock, was nominated for Superior Judge on the first ballot. V. E. Shaw, Babcock's alleged choice for Superior Judge, was defeated by ex-Assemblyman W. R. Guy, Hardy's candidate. All along ex-State Senator D. L. Withington has been supposed to be the Hardy-Babcock candidate for State Senator. The nomination of the anti-"push" candidate, M. L. Ward, was seconded by Babcock. Ward was nominated. A peculiar thing is that in this contest the Anti-saloon and Civic Federation forces joined drives with Hardy's caravan, which is supposed to contain the saloon vote, while Withington is president of the Civic Federation.

On the Sheriff proposition, Fisher, whose nomination was seconded by Babcock, was defeated by ex-Assemblyman Charles R. Stewart, who was supposed to be more than three-quarters Hardy. T. J. Jones was nominated for County Clerk.

The resolutions adopted by the convention warmly commended the administration of President Roosevelt and the courses of Senators Perkins and Bard and Congressman Needham. No mention is made of Gov. Gage and the State administration. The candidacy of State Senator A. E. Nutt for Congress from the Eighth district is indorsed.

Tonight the chiefs are whetting their scalping knives for tomorrow's fray.

TENT CITY.

CORONADO NOTES.

TENT CITY, Aug. 19.—Among yesterday's arrivals were: R. H. Heywood, M. A. Stevitch, Emma Dotann, Los Angeles; Mrs. Mary Puthard, Miss A. Puthard, Mrs. E. King, T. J. Sanches, Los Angeles; George E. Bowles and family, Mrs. C. W. Whittier, Mrs. H. T. Mann, San Diego; Jasper L. Travers, Redlands; Mrs. E. Thomas, San Bernardino; G. M. Hawley, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Mason, El Cajon; William Farley and wife, Bostonia; N. H. Williamson, Pomona; Miss M. E. Quinn, Chicago; Mrs. William P. Goodell, San Bernardino; Reginale Herbert, Chula Vista; Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Coulson, Riverside; A. W. Swanfedt, Avalon; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kellogg, Colton; Mrs. Mable Noyes, Los Angeles; Walter B. Young, Philadelphia; Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Plummer, Redlands; George W. Grant, National City; Lillian D. Atawater, Alice Atawater, Chula Vista; Virginia Merriam, Twin Oaks; Julia K. Holmes, Los Angeles; E. Fred Buss, Bostonia; Harriet E. Baldwin, Coronado; Mrs. P. L. Loper, Vinita, I. T.

Standing room was at a premium at last evening's performance at the pavilion theater.

An interesting programme has been arranged for the free-for-all concert Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. J. Clyde Hizar and daughter have returned from a visit to Berkeley, and occupy the bungalow on Ninth street.

Earl Cameron, who has been in San Bernardino a year, has arrived at Coronado.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Edwards are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Anson Blake.

E. E. White and family of San Diego are occupying the Curtis cottage, near Tenth and Adella avenue. Miss Frazier is their guest.

Leslie Gay, son of Mr. and Mrs. George S. Gay, who has been attending college, is home for the vacation.

Making baskets from ramia weeds is the latest fad among the ladies of the camp. Many pretty baskets are the result.

The True View.

If Gov. Gage of California tries to hide behind an exemption from responsibility as Governor in his conflict with a San Francisco newspaper opponent, he will raise a nice question of libel law. Under the ordinary conception, a man occupying a high official position has a double duty devolving upon him to respect the rights of others and to obey the law as well as to enforce it.—[Omaha Bee, Aug. 15.

Afterward.

Did you ever notice that the bluest, prettiest sky comes just after the blackest, ugliest storm?—[Baltimore News.

DEMOCRATIC HARMONY FOR GAGE'S NOMINATION.

THE MACHINE, THE RING, THE "PUSH," JOIN HANDS.

Gage Means Defeat for the Republican Ticket and a Democratic Delegation in Congress—He Can't Poll the Vote, nor Unite the Party.

Democrats Want Gage.

[Santa Ana Herald.]

There can be no doubt that thousands of Democrats in Los Angeles and San Francisco voted for the machine delegates, and sober and honest Republicans, who have the interest of their party at heart, may well ponder why this support was given to a man seeking nomination in an opposing party. We have heard no claims of Democrats voting the anti-Gage tickets at the primaries. They evidently wanted Gage nominated and their motives should concern all Republicans who desire a strong ticket this fall.

Easy Man for Democrats.

[Fresno Mirror (Democratic.)]

We have heard some Democrats wish that Mr. Gage would be renominated because it would be easy to defeat him.

Gage a Menace to Party Success.

[Oakland Inquirer, Aug. 16.]

With a ticket headed by so unpopular a man as Gage, with the great popular outcry against the head of the ticket, and many Republicans in every voting precinct in the State openly opposing him, it is not necessary that one should be a pessimist to prophesy the defeat of the State ticket. With almost any other man at its head the Republican ticket is sure of election, and California's Congressional delegation will be solidly Republican. But with Gage renominated for Governor, this defeat will be almost certain, and the ticket as a whole will be in great danger.

Home Estimate of Gage.

[San Francisco Call, Aug. 17.]

South of Tehachepi has administered a deserved rebuke to His Excellency. With all the talk of the Gage shouters about their man carrying San Francisco, with a solid south, out of 173 votes it is shown that the executive has just sixty-seven delegates. In his own county he has a bare majority. That shows what the people at his own home think of him.

Hey, There! Get Together.

[Fresno Sunday Mirror, Aug. 14.]

Gage will come into the convention with a strong following, but if the anti-Gage delegations get together and stay together it will be impossible for the man from the southland to win.

Gage Can't Poll the Vote.

[Ontario Record-Observer.]

Mr. Flint's name has been more frequently mentioned than that of Dr. Pardee, and in this end of the State he has a larger avowed following than the doctor. He is popular with the Native Sons and the young men generally. Either man would poll the full vote of the party. Gage never can. Nominate Flint or Pardee and the Republican party will win again.

No Compromise on Gage.

[Santa Ana Herald.]

When Gov. Gage was nominated four years ago he went to Sacramento under vastly different circumstances than those which accompany him this year. Then he had the solid support of every county south of Tehachepi. This year a majority of the votes of Southern California are openly against him, and even his home county is woefully split. There can be no compromise on Gage, either in the convention, or at the polls.

Solid With the Machine.

[Ontario Record-Observer.]

Gage has had four years in which to prove his acceptability to the people at large; that his renomination is now clamored for only by the machine politicians and those who profit by his appointments is sufficient evidence of the unwisdom of urging him again upon the people.

Peculiar Gage Harmony.

[San Francisco Call, Aug. 17.]

The divided Democratic "push" pushed together in the primaries in this city and also in Los Angeles. It is a singular fact that this harmony of the opposition bosses in his support is the only harmony that has followed the policy of the Governor. He has torn and distracted his own party, and the only united support he can boast is that given him by the bad elements in the opposition.

Gage a Tool of Ringsters.

[Ontario Record-Observer.]

Gage has proven himself too much a tool of the ringsters to be acceptable to the voter of ordinary honesty and intelligence. While we do not believe that Gage will be nominated, yet such an event is within the realm of the possible, and in this county and in this end of the State at least, should the Republican party put the name of Gage again at its head, there will be such a landslide of votes to the Democratic ticket as this State has never before known.

Open Sesame of the Gage "Push."

[Monrovia Register, Aug. 15.]

Go where one might, the voice of the Gage "rooter" was heard in the land. In the rural districts, in the towns, and in all parts of the cities the "man with the 'push'" was in evidence. The suave, well-dressed ballot hunter, who exchanged his lordly presence, cigars and gorgeous promises for votes in one section, gave place, in another, to the personal friend, who had acquaintances to support [illegible] out of consideration for [illegible] in still another section, [illegible] cund, copper-lined and [illegible] "ward heeler" whose [illegible] lay in the magic words [illegible] other?"

THE ANNUAL PARODY.

Maud Muller—(gentle reader, [illegible] 's the parody that comes [illegible]

Maud Muller, on a summer's [illegible] Pinned back her skirt and [illegible] sleeve.

She got the hose upon the lawn [illegible] And deftly turned the water [illegible]

She sprinkled gaily on the grass, [illegible] And smiled on those who [illegible] pass.

The Judge came walking down [illegible] street, And spied Miss Muller, trim [illegible]

He raised his hat to speak to [illegible] His heart with love began to [illegible]

For Maud was young and fair to [illegible] The Judge was rich as rich [illegible]

Just when he made his grandest [illegible] The water did not twist [illegible]

It did not smite him on the [illegible] It did not fill his soul with [illegible]

It did not swat him in the [illegible] And knock his garments [illegible]

It did not wash him from the [illegible] No, gentle reader, it did [illegible]

Instead, Maud turned toe [illegible] Just when his hat received [illegible]

The Judge mused softly: "[illegible] Is the ideal wife for me."

And Maudie mused: "I'll [illegible] name By springing this domestic [illegible]

The Judge proposed—the [illegible] guess— Maud Muller lost no time [illegible]

And often now the Judge [illegible] Of how the setting sun's [illegible]

Illumined Maudie, with the [illegible] And how his ardor swiftly [illegible]

And Maudie, too, dreams of [illegible] When, with tucked skirt and [illegible] sleeve,

She utilized her cunning [illegible] And engineered the lawn-[illegible]

And posed there in the twilight [illegible] And with deft science [illegible]

Of all true words of tongue or [illegible] The truest are: "They [illegible] —[Josh Wink, in Baltimore [illegible] can.

Time of His Life.

"Air you havin' a good time on [illegible] vacation, young feller?" [illegible] Hiram.

"Yes, indeed," answered [illegible] leigh. "Yesterday I got a [illegible] my sweetheart, saying that [illegible] met the nicest fellow, and [illegible] posed. She was to give him [illegible] answer to his proposal [illegible] this morning I got a letter [illegible] employer, saying the clerk [illegible] to take my place was giving [illegible] satisfaction, that they [illegible] would be unnecessary for [illegible] turn to the store. Yes, [illegible] having a lovely time."—[Phila. Sun.

Old Belief Exploded.

Jinks: This talk about [illegible] being able to hit a nail [illegible] mer is all nonsense.

Jenks: Think so?

Jinks: I know it; my wife [illegible] ing to drive home the [illegible] one of her nails is all [illegible] where she hit it.—[Philadelphia [illegible]

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It belongs to one of the lowest order of bird life—the divers—and is found in the Arctic and sub-Arctic regions of the entire globe. It has as a relative the famous "Great Auk," now long extinct, but whose egg and skin are worth more than their weight in gold. The food of these birds is entirely composed of fish, for the capture of which nature has admirably adapted them. The skin is very tough, and the plumage close and oily. They swim on or under the water with the greatest ease, but are captured with ease, by natives of arctic regions when they venture on land. Their flesh is of little use, however, owing to their food of fish. Their skins are much used for clothing by the Esquimau, as it is extremely tough and durable.

Doubtless this is the first bird of this species ever brought to Los Angeles, and has created quite a wave of curiosity among local bird students. There are, however, many other species of rare sea birds to be found among the myriads which frequent this Coast.

ASTOR'S BAD BREAK.

William Waldorf's Chances of Getting a Title Seem to Have Been Given a Setback.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.)

LONDON, Aug. 6.—William Waldorf Astor is in the midst of another fight that will undo whatever popularity he gained by his recent gift of $150,000 for the improvement of rifle shooting.

When the expatriated American millionaire bought Cleveden the Duke of Westminster's magnificent mansion on the Thames, he satisfied himself that all the fish that happened to stray into his part of the river were his exclusive property, too. So he put up notices to trespassers all along the banks. The various angling associations which have for years enjoyed the fishing in the upper reaches of the Thames were up in arms at once, and after a series of skirmishes the question is coming into court.

Strengthened by Mr. Astor's example, his neighbor, Sir Peter Palmer, a retired lieutenant general, has brought the matter to an issue by obtaining an injunction against a professional angler who has used this part of the river undisturbed for thirty years. Piscatorial associations all over the country have joined to defend the angler, and the case will be appealed, if necessary, until it reaches the House of Lords. The associations contend that as they feed the river with spawn at their own expense, they have just as much right to fish as Mr. Astor and his neighbor.

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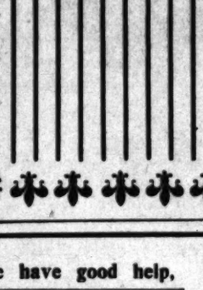

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20 to 24-inch sofa pillows covered with really elegant silks, and with deep ruffles to match, at just half yesterday's prices. Not an accumulation of shop-worn things in ugly patterns, but bright, clean, fresh stock in dozens of strikingly handsome designs and colorings.

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White 5-lb. blankets, $4.85 a pair—best 70x80 inch blanket in town for the money.

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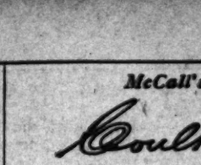

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THE WEATHER.

Yesterday's Report and Forecast.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Aug. 19.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.90; at 5 p.m., 29.93. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 62 deg. and 82 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 84 per cent.; 5 p.m., 40 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., southeast, velocity light; 5 p.m., west, velocity 4 miles. Maximum temperature, 75 deg.; minimum, 60 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—The weather is generally clear, except on the Southern California coast, where the usual summer morning cloudiness prevails. Light showers have fallen in the Upper Missouri Valley. Lower pressure is reported from the North Pacific Coast and the plateau regions, while it is somewhat higher in the Southwest. The temperature is stationary or slowly rising over the western half of the country, few marked changes being reported.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy tonight; partly cloudy Wednesday.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The pressure has risen slowly along the coast of California and fallen along the Oregon and Washington coast. The temperature has remained nearly stationary in California, except near Sacramento, where there has been a fall of 14 deg. Over Oregon and Washington there has been a rise of 10 deg. or more. Heavy rain is reported in Mexico, but no rain has fallen in the United States west of the Rocky Mountains. Forecast:

For Northern California: Fair Wednesday, with fog on the coast; fresh southerly winds in the interior; brisk westerly winds on the coast.

Southern California: Fair Wednesday, with fog in the morning; light southwest winds.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy in the forenoon; fair Wednesday; brisk westerly winds with fog; cooler.

Sacramento and vicinity; Fair Wednesday; fresh southwest wind.

Tide Table.—For San Pedro.

		High.	Low.
Wednesday, Aug. 20		10:58 a.m.	3:37 a.m.
		9:15 p.m.	5:3 p.m.
Thursday.	" 21	10:35 a.m.	4:06 a.m.
		10:27 p.m.	4:55 p.m.
Friday.	" 22	11:04 a.m.	4:34 a.m.
		11:21 p.m.	4:55 p.m.
Saturday.	" 23	11:40 a.m.	5:06 a.m.
			5:51 p.m.
Sunday.	" 24	0:12 a.m.	5:38 a.m.
		12:24 p.m.	6:50 p.m.
Monday.	" 25	1:24 a.m.	6:29 a.m.
		1:09 p.m.	8:29 p.m.
Tuesday.	" 26	3:15 a.m.	7:39 a.m.
		2:38 p.m.	10:04 p.m.
Wednesday.	" 27	5:02 a.m.	9:25 a.m.
		4:56 p.m.	11:22 p.m.
Thursday.	" 28	6:16 a.m.	10:27 a.m.
		5:22 p.m.	
Friday.	" 29	7:04 a.m.	0:22 a.m.
		6:30 p.m.	12:04 p.m.
Saturday.	" 30	7:41 a.m.	1:36 a.m.
		7:13 p.m.	12:51 p.m.
Sunday.	" 31	8:18 a.m.	1:49 a.m.
		8:01 p.m.	1:44 p.m.
Monday.	Sept. 1	8:53 a.m.	2:27 a.m.
		8:44 p.m.	2:29 p.m.

Liners

NOTICE TO PATRONS.

Liner advertisements for The Times left at the following places will receive prompt attention;

F. D. Owen, Drug Store, Belmont avenue and Temple Street.

Boyle Heights Drug Store, 1952 East First Street.

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Get a membership in the L. S. Burt Co. for that purpose. Does only $1 per month. No cost when sickness comes; room, board, nursing, medical attendance and everything necessary to complete recovery free to members; absolutely reliable; backed by Los Angeles business people. Call for particulars. 725½ W. FIRST ST.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE—THE COPARTNERship heretofore existing between Mrs. Oliver Lippincott and T. M. Chapman, doing business under the firm name of The Lippincott Company, at Los Angeles, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The said Mrs. Lippincott becomes sole owner, collects all accounts due and assumes all liabilities. T. M. CHAPMAN, secretary and treasurer. Dated July 1, 1902. 20

FIRE! FIRE!! FIRE!!!

Our old location at 501-503 S. Spring st. has gone up in smoke, but we are doing business at 439 S. Broadway, with a large stock of books and stationery; new and second-hand books bought, sold and exchanged; libraries purchased. HENRY WARD. 22

WANTED — NATHAN BROS. WANT CAST-OFF CLOTHING, FULL-DRESS SUITS, ETC. OUR PRICES CAN'T BE BEAT. CUSTOMERS WAITING FOR THEM. STORE 156 W. 5TH. TEL. JOSEPH 3131.

ALLEN'S MATTRESS FACTORY AND UPholstery. Furniture and repair work. Carpets cleaned and laid, 3c per yard; prompt attention; first-class work. 536 NEW HIGH ST., cor. Bellevue ave. 'Phone James 2241.

WITTER SPRINGS WATER CURES SKIN and Blood diseases, Eczema, Rheumatism, Kidney and Stomach troubles; also Alcoholism. E. H. COOPER, distributing agent, 333 Wilcox Blk. Phone John 3131.

L. A. VAN TRUCK AND STORAGE CO. Prepare to move in new fire-proof warehouse for storing; experienced packers and safe movers. Office, 312 S. Broadway. Tel. South 37. R. A. DUNTON, Prop.

TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ADS. RING UP 'Phone One any time of day or night, and The Times will give prompt and careful attention. Rate 1 cent a word each insertion. Minimum charge, 15 cents.

WARNING—OWNERS, keep off the street, or you will get hurt. Move on to room 227, 218 S. Broadway, and list your property with COOPER & HALL. 24

ALL CREDITORS INTERESTED IN CRONET Bros.' bankruptcy case will gain information to their advantage by writing to CASSIE STIEFVATER, 123 E. Genesee st., Syracuse, N. Y. 20

UMBRELLA AND GLOVE MAKERS—PARASOLS recovered or made to order; finest kid gloves on sale; guaranteed lowest prices. 113 W. 6TH ST., near Main. 'Phone James 9701.

GREAT WESTERN STEAM CARPET CLEANING CO., Ninth and Grand. Carpets cleaned and laid, 3c yd.; sewing and refitting. Tel. White 6511. Himerich & Mullen.

TEL. MAIN 217. 627 S. BROADWAY. PIONEER STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS. W. C. Cline, Prop. House and window cleaning in connection.

FOR GRADING, LANDSCAPING AND FILLing around your new house at reasonable terms, apply to JOHN DOHERTY, No. 416 S. Main st., Los Angeles. 21

Y. M. COMPANY—BAMBOO GOODS, WHOLEsale and retail. All kinds of fancy work made to order. 122 W. FIFTH ST., Los Angeles, Cal.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC—I WILL NOT BE responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Lydia B. Huntoon. L. E. HUNTOON. 22

CURE FOR STOMACH AND BOWEL TROUble. Box Pres. REUNER & GOULET, Sacramento, Cal.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED BY HAND, 25c pair. MRS. GRACE HEATH, 1254 Arnold. Tel. James 6271. Goods called for.

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PACIFIC TRANSFER, VAN AND STORAGE Co. Trunks delivered, 25c to 35c. 709 W. SECOND ST. Tel. Main 129.

SUPERFLUOUS HAIR REMOVED INSTANTly, without electricity, soreness or scars, at 225 W. FIRST, room 1. 26

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HATS CLEANED AND PRESSED AT THE factory. L. B. RUSSELL & CO., 416-420 S. Los Angeles st.

WANTED—RUBBISH HAULING. STABLE yard cleaning. 'Phone John 6371. 236 SAN PEDRO ST.

MY PLASTER WILL KEEP YOUR CORNS in perfect ease 15c. YACY STEER, 124 W. 4th.

BEST PAINT, $1.50 GAL.; R.R. LEAD, 7c; 7-ft. opaque shades, 25c. Walter, 627. Spring.

SEND 3 DIMES FOR BOX COMPLEXION Laxative Pellets. MME. GOODE, Sac'to, Cal.

CASH WALL-PAPER STORE, 609 S. SPRING. Paper-hanging, frescoing, tinting. Brown 1458.

SMITH & LEWIS STOVE REPAIR CO., 611 S. BROADWAY. TEL. PETER 1361.

SUIT CLEANING BY THE MONTH. TEL. Green 1671. 646 S. SPRING.

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WANTED—
Help. Male.

RUMMEL BROS. & CO., EMPLOYMENT AGENTS.

A Strictly First-class, Reliable Agency. All kinds of help promptly furnished. Your orders solicited.

208 S. Broadway and 209 W. Second sts., basement of California Bank Bldg. Telephone 569.

(Office open from 7 a.m. to 7:30 p.m., except Sundays.)

MEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Grade foreman, $60 etc.; man and wife warehouse and cook; machinist for Mexico, $4 day and fare; boiler maker, Arizona, $4 and ½ rate; mill, machine and bench hand, $3.50; carpenters, city and country, $3.50; brass moulder, regular wages; wagon-wood worker, $2.50; another, $3.50 to go to New Mexico; married wife beach, $40 etc.; man and wife, ranch, $40 etc.; blacksmith, $2 day; ranch blacksmith, $40 etc.; ranch hands, $25 etc.; $20 etc.; hoe down, $1.50 etc.; track laborers, $2; teamsters for Imperial, $1.50 etc. and fare; carriage painter, $2.50; men for sawmill, $2.10, and $2a to $3 etc. month; cross-cut men, $40 etc.; log camp; bricklayer, $5; cement teamster, $2.50 and $4; scraper teamsters, $1.25 etc. and $1.50 etc.; orchard hands, $25 etc. to $40 etc.; men to sell heaters, $1 day and $1 on each sale; single-hand drillers, $2.50; stout boys, $1 day; grocery salesman, $10 week; railroad men for Nevada, $2.25 and fare, etc., etc., etc.

HOTEL AND RESTAURANT DEPT.

Camp cook, $75 etc.; house porter, $20 and $25; dishwashers, $25 and $30, $7 week; waiters, $8, $9 and $10 week; bus boy, $4 week; restaurant porters, $7 and $8 week; camp cook, $45 and $60 etc.; elevator boy, $15-; colored man and wife, bath and laundry, $45 etc.; man and wife, waiter and waitress, $45; restaurant cooks, $10, $12 and $15 week; oliver man and porter, $7; hotel chef and second, $75 and $60 etc.; ranch cook, $30 and $35; cake, $12 etc.; second baker, $10 etc.; cook Catalina, $50 etc.

WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Housegirls, city, $20, $25; Redlands, $30; Ocean Park, $30; other beaches, $25 and $35; girls to assist, $15 and $25; family cook, 3 in family, $25; ranch cook, $30.

WOMEN'S HOTEL DEPARTMENT.

Matron institution, $50 etc.; waitresses, beach, $25 etc.; Ventura, $25 etc.; Arizona, $25 etc.; Catalina, $25 etc.; city, $25 and $20 etc.; hotel cook Catalina, $50 etc.; boarding-house cook, city, $40 etc.; pantry cook, $12 week; experienced maagie girls, $1 day.

HUMMEL BROS & CO. 20

WANTED—SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 111½ E. SECOND ST. 'PHONE GREEN 731. FOR NEVADA. FOR NEVADA.

FREE FARE. 200 TEAMSTERS. 200 LABORERS. FREE FARE. SHIP TODAY.

Four hay pitchers, $2.50 fd.; 2 wagon drivers, $1.25 fd.; 2 men, hoe downs, $1.50 fd.; 6 laborers, city, $2; 3 wagon drivers, city, $1.50; 2 men, stack hay, $1.25 fd.

SPECIAL—Eight bridge laborers, $2.50; 6 ranch teamsters, $30 fd.; 6 laborers, sawmill, $2.25; blacksmith, $2. 20

WANTED—E. W. REID & CO., EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 143 S. Broadway. 'Phone Main 1084. Room 16.

Cooks and seconds, dishwashers, bakers and bakers' helpers, bus boys, porters, bell boys, elevator boys, waiters and waitresses, teamsters, brickyard men and boys, buggy-washers, horse cutters, man and wife, private places, man and wife for ranch, 501 places for men and women. Why go to other agencies, when you can get the same places here for half the price? 20

WANTED—AT IRON MOUNTAIN, CAL., machinemen, $2; mackers, $2.50 per day; take train to Keswick, Cal., and apply to the MOUNTAIN COPPER CO.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN TO write for our free booklet, "Are Your Hands Tied?" It tells how we have helped thousands to support themselves while we qualified them for high-salaried positions in engineering or architecture. Write the INTERNATIONAL CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOLS, Box 1671, Scranton, Pa., or call day or evening at the Los Angeles office, 350 S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—C. R. HANSEN & CO.— EMPLOYMENT AGENTS. 123½-125½ W. Second st., L. A., Cal. 'Phone MAIN 283. CORRESPONDENCE SOLICITED. REGISTRATION FREE. S. F. Office, 429 Bush st. Estab. 1876.

WANTED—Baker; will pay $75 month; must be steady, with good references; work light. TWITTY & PARKER, Williams, Ariz. 19

WANTED—LIBERAL COMPENSATION FOR a reliable, competent salesman to handle the new combination life, accident and health policy; sold exclusively by the Conservative Life, a regular old-line company. Address or call at the HOME OFFICE BLDG., Hill and Third sts., Los Angeles.

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE. 642 S. SPRING ST. TEL. BROWN 1622.

A strictly first-class, reliable office. All kinds help promptly furnished. Your orders solicited. Labor furnished by day or contract.

WANTED — FURNISHING GOODS SALESman, clothier, elevator man, store porter, shipper, packer, teamster, beach, waiter, watchman, draughtsman, grocer, delivery-man, store roustabout, carpenters. EDWARD NITTINGER, 252½ S. Main. 20

WANTED — A MACHINIST WHO UNDERstands repairing and running pumps; also repairing engines, hoists, air compressors and machine drills; also who can set up and run an electric dynamo, for Lower California. 376 WILCOX ANNEX. 22

WANTED—GOOD, STRONG BOY (SWEDE, Swiss or German preferred,) 18 or 20 years old, to milk, feed calves and other ranch work; $20 and board. Apply today early; 173 N. SPRING ST., room 26. 20

WANTED—A SIDE LINE FOR FIRST-CLASS traveling salesmen; quick seller; big money-maker; no samples to carry; does not take up much time. Room 300, 62 BLEECKER ST., New York.

WANTED—WE HAVE PLACES FOR 3 UP-to-date grocery deliverymen at $50, and a place for one clerk and delliveryman at $40. Apply RETAIL GROCERS' ASS'N., 205 Tajo Block, forenoon. 20

WANTED—WAGON TEAMSTERS, CITY, $2; laborers, $2; bridge men, $2.50; shovelers, $2; ranch men, $30 and found; dairymen, $30 and found; plasterer, $3.50 day. 171 E. FIRST ST. 20

WANTED—MEN; FREE CATALOGUE EXplains how we teach barber trade in 8 weeks, saving 2 years' apprenticeship. MOLER BARBER COLLEGE, San Francisco.

WANTED — A PRESSMAN TO WORK ON newspaper perfecting presses; must have previous experience and be willing worker. Address L, box 66, TIMES OFFICE. 21

WANTED — JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT Agency. All kinds of laborers are promptly furnished by the day, hour or contract. 502 W. SIXTH ST. 'Phone Joseph 7041. 21

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS EASTERN DRYgoods salesman who is worth first-class salary and wishes permanent position in Southern California. 215 COPP BLDG. 20

WANTED—CLOTHING SALESMAN, CAPAble of dressing windows and keeping stock. Address P. O. BOX 218, San Bernardino, Cal., or 225 W. PICO, L. A. 20

WANTED — TRAVELING REPRESENTAtive for wholesale house, doing established business with furnishing and dry-goods trades. 215 COPP BLDG. 20

WANTED—YOUNG MAN STENOGRAPHER and office work for wholesale house; chance for advancement for bright and quick man. Apply 525 BYRNE BLDG. 20

WANTED — JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 112 Rose St., Tel. Brown 31; all kinds of help promptly furnished by the day, hour or contract. 1

WANTED—SODA DISPENSER TO ACT AS waiter in parlor and work at soda fountain. MERRIAM & HOFFMAN, 127 S. Spring. 20

WANTED—
Help. Male.

WANTED—A GOOD BOOK-KEEPER WITH experience; lumber preferred. Address in own handwriting, giving references, F, box 22, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED—A FEW GOOD EX-INDUSTRIAL insurance men for paying positions; fine opening for the right men. Address F, box 61, TIMES OFFICE. 21

WANTED—EVERYWHERE HUSTLERS TO tack signs, distribute circulars, etc.; $60 canvassing; good pay. SUN ADVERTISING BUREAU, Chicago.

WANTED—JAPANESE O. K. EMPLOYMENT AND HOUSE-CLEANING AGENCY. Work guaranteed. A specialty. MEREDY'S "BIG" CURIO STORE.

WANTED — A BLACKSMITH WHO CAN sharpen Burley drills and do light blacksmithing for Lower California. 376 WILCOX ANNEX. 22

WANTED—YOUNG MAN AS CITY SALESman; familiar with stationery and blank-book business preferred. Apply 434 S. SPRING. 20

WANTED—3 MEN OF GOOD ADDRESS and ability to fill paying positions. Call between 8 and 10 o'clock. 537 DOUGLAS BLDG.

WANTED—MAN OR BOY WHO WORKED on lunch wagon in this city before. Call in rear at 427 S. MAIN ST., between 8 and 10 a.m. 20

WANTED — ASSISTANT OFFICE CLERK, wholesale house; shorthand and typewriting necessary; good salary. 215 COPP BLDG. 20

WANTED—GOOD-SIZED BOY FOR BIG EXaminer route; must have bicycle or horse and cart. Apply 140 S. BROADWAY. 20

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED ELECTROplater. Apply 114 CENTER PLACE (not alley,) from 9 to 10 a.m., 1 to 4 p.m.

WANTED—A GOOD MAN TO REPRESENT us in Los Angeles district. MORLEY & WILSON, 238 S. Los Angeles st. 20

WANTED — BOY TO DELIVER CLOTHES on wheel; must bring recommendation. 197 N. SPRING, room 12. 20

WANTED — FOUR CARRIERS ON TIMES. Address stating age and residence, F, box 78, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED — SALESMEN FOR CLOTHING, furnishing, dry goods; good salaries. Apply 325 BYRNE BLDG.

WANTED — GROCERY DELIVERY MEN; also salesmen for store. NEWBURY'S, 216-218 S. Spring st. 20

WANTED—RELIABLE MAN TO WORK IN small dairy. DEFIANCE ST., last house east of S. Main. 20

WANTED—A BRIGHT YOUNG MAN FOR wineroom at DELMONTE RESTAURANT, 210 W. Third st. 20

WANTED—2 PLUMBERS, $4.50 PER DAY, 8 hours; 3 months' work. Call at 923½ E. FIRST ST. TEMESCO OFFICE.

WANTED—GOOD, STEADY BOY OR YOUNG man. Inquire at TROY LAUNDRY CO., 715 N. Main st. 20

WANTED—10 MEN. APPLY 10:30 A.M. TOday. J. S. WHITE, stage entrance, Burbank Theater. 20

WANTED—AN OFFICE BOY, NOT OVER 15 years of age. Address F, box 85, TIMES OFFICE. 21

WANTED—STRONG BOYS, 15 TO 20 YEARS of age. BISHOP & CO., Seventh and Alameda. 21

WANTED — A YOUNG BOOK-KEEPER OF good address. See ALDERSON & SON, Commercial Bldg.

WANTED — A YOUNG MAN FOR CANDY store. Apply at 221 S. SPRING, after 11 a.m. 20

WANTED — BARBERS, FIRST-CLASS; CAN make $15 to $25 a week. 502 S. SPRING ST. 20

WANTED—"BUSY BEE," 227 W. FOURTH. Men's soles, 25c; ladies', 35c; children's, 25c.

WANTED — PLUMBER; A FIRST-CLASS finisher. 325 E. 5th st., AVENUE HOTEL. 22

WANTED—AT ONCE, A GOOD STATIONary engineer. Apply 261 TAJO BLDG. 20

WANTED—BAKER'S HELPER. KENTUCKY BAKERY, 804 W. Pico. 20

WANTED—STICKER MAN. CARPENTER & BILES, 120 E. 3rd. 22

WANTED—
Help. Female.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED STENOGRAPHer, who is experienced infant's nurses with references, $25; waitresses, $5 week; chinese cook and butler, private family, $25 and $30; housegirl, city, $25; kitchen assistant, institution, city, $20; several first-class families, $30; cooks, $30, $35 and $40; boarding-house cook, country, $25; housegirls, city, country and beach. MRS. HAWLEY, 254 S. Broadway. 20

WANTED—GIRL OR WOMAN FOR COOKing and housework for family three, in a comfortable home in the mountains, 300 miles from Los Angeles; good wages and ticket both ways; but must be person of good character. Address quickly, D, box 29, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED SALESlady for glove department in up-to-date store out of town, $20; one with glove references need apply; proprietor in city. Call today for interview. 325 BYRNE BLOCK. 20

WANTED—SALESLADIES, ART WORK, 22 waitresses, city and beach work housekeeper, companion, governess, nursery, inexperienced, 20 girls, $4.50 week, stewardess. EDWARD NITTINGER, 252½ S. Main. 20

WANTED — A YOUNG LADY BOOK-KEEPer and cashier for city store; steady position to right party; about $75 per month, with opportunity for advancement. Address F, box 30, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED—YOUNG WOMAN TO DO LIGHT housekeeping for middle-aged gentleman without family, city; good home guaranteed to the right person. Address D, box 19, TIMES OFFICE. 22

WANTED — A GOOD, STRONG WOMAN, colored or white, to care for sick lady; only one in family; no washing; experience not necessary. Call 1109 W. 25TH ST., cor. Hoover. 20

WANTED—AT THE MACY-ST. CANNERY, AT ONCE, 200 MORE WOMEN TO WORK ON FRUIT. CAL. FRUIT CANNERS' ASSOCIATION, COR. MACY AND ANDERSON. 24

WANTED — STENOGRAPHER; YOUNG lady experienced in wholesale shipping-house, one accustomed to telephone, desired. Address H, box 18, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HOUSEKEEPER WITH A CHILD cooking and general housework for man in front, 2 children; must be neat; no washing; $15 to $18. Address Box 583, WHITTIER, Cal.

WANTED — A COMPETENT GIRL WITH references to do upstairs work and take care of child 2 years old; wages $25. Call mornings, 1127 S. HOPE. 20

WANTED — LADIES WITH GOOD VOICES for theatrical work. Apply today and tomorrow between 10 and 2, at 130½ S. SPRING ST., Lincoln Hall.

WANTED — GOOD STENOGRAPHERS DEsiring positions to register with YOST TYPEWRITING MACHINE CO., 217 W. Second. No charge.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED HELP FOR ALterations on jackets. Apply at THE UNIQUE CLOAK AND SUIT HOUSE, 245 S. Broadway. 20

WANTED — YOUNG LADY BOOK-KEEPER and stenographer; state reference and salary wanted. Address F, box 91, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED—SALESLADIES FOR KNIT UNderwear, laces and embroidery, for good houses. Apply 525 BYRNE BLDG. 20

WANTED—A YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST IN housework; 3 in family. Apply Thursday afternoon and Friday, 915 W. 23D ST. 20

WANTED—MRS. DR. SPENCER'S EMPLOYment office for WOMEN ONLY, 125½ E. Fourth st. 'Phone James 5421.

WANTED—GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSEwork; good home for the right person. Apply 1715 TOBERMAN ST.

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WANTED — GOOD SEAMSTRESS, DRESSMAKING PARLORS, cor. Ninth st. and Grand ave. 20

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WANTED—WOMAN TO DO WASHING AT your own home. Inquire 206-207 BULLARD BLOCK. 20

WANTED — GOOD FINISHING GIRL FOR ladies' tailoring. 349 S. BROADWAY. Good pay. 20

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WANTED—WAITRESSES, STEADY WORK. Apply D. H. HART, Natick House. 22

WANTED—EXPERIENCED WAIST HAND. 1248 S. SPRING.

WANTED—NURSEGIRL AT 1616 S. FLOWER ST. 20

WANTED—
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WANTED—PARTNER FOR REAL ESTATE business who has list and acquaintance with outside work; I have fine, large office front room, ground floor, with front yard for blackboard, etc. Call 536 S. SPRING, room 1. 19

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WANTED—SITUATION BY YOUNG JAPAnese boy, school boy. E. U., 447 ALISO ST. 21

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PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Acting Mayor Powers yesterday signed the police salary ordinance.

Justice Austin fined the two boys who threw stones at an Southern Pacific train, $10 each yesterday.

The Traction has brought injunction proceedings in the Superior Court to make Huntington take his juice wires off Vermont avenue.

A fist fight occurred in the Courthouse yesterday between Henry Romer, a deputy Sheriff at Downey, and J. P. Squire, a temperance campaigner. Romer was fined $15 by a police judge and the Supervisors turned down his application for a saloon license.

AT THE CITY HALL.

ACTING MAYOR SIGNS NEW POLICE ORDINANCE.

GENERAL INDORSEMENT FOLLOWS FINAL SALARY ACT.

Ambitious Members of the Force are Looking Longingly on the New Positions Created—Suburbanites are Rejoicing Over Increased Police Protection.

Amid the profound silence that settled itself within the cool shadows of the City Hall yesterday, with nothing to disturb him save perhaps a reckless mouse that was looking for some fat document to chew up, Acting Mayor Powers signed the police salary ordinance. It was exactly 2:33 p.m. when this ordinance became a law.

There was so little pomp and circumstance connected with the act that put the final touch to this bit of legislation that it was almost pathetic. Still, everybody knew it was going to happen, and so they went to the convention and left the Acting Mayor in the tomb-like hall of legislation alone with the document.

Members of the police force are of course happy over the outcome of the efforts that have been made in their behalf, and were not backward in expressing themselves as well pleased. Strange to say not one of them was kicking.

A number of the "coppers" are looking conscious just now, for the ordinance provides for the appointment of an additional captain and three sergeants. Just who the lightning will strike is of course problematical, but there are a number of eligibles.

Members of the force are receiving congratulations from all sides, especially from the downtown business men and those who are prominent in the community. One patrolman, whose beat is on Spring street south from First, said yesterday that he thought nearly every business man along that street must be in favor of the increase as he has heard such a sentiment expressed by a very large proportion of them.

Many of the suburbanites are rejoicing, for the ordinance provides for the appointment of twenty additional patrolmen, and those who are acquainted with the problem of policing a city the size of Los Angeles are unanimously of the opinion that just the right thing was done in making this increase.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

BLOODY FACE ON TEMPERANCE REFORMER.

DOWNEY'S DEPUTY SHERIFF HAS A FIST FIGHT.

Henry Roemer Punches the Face of the Downey Temperance Movement—Breaks His Hand and is Fined for Battery—Hook Sues Huntington.

"This is the work of the whisky men."

Bellowing these words, J. P. Squire, a reformer who fights the demon rum, burst into the Supervisors' room at the Courthouse yesterday, dripping with gore.

When Squire could talk, and the startled Supervisors recovered their senses, it was learned that Squire had been exerting his moral suasion on one Henry Roemer, "chief monster" of the whisky ring at Downey.

It had happened outside in the hall. Roemer, who did not want to be reformed, hit him in the face. Being smote on the one cheek, Squire went to turn his other cheek, as enjoined by scripture in sundry places, but Roemer aimed crooked and broke his hand by an awful smash on the doorpost.

Roemer is the deputy sheriff who tried to solve the Downey murder mystery. He is the partner of "Uncle Dave" Smart, who began running the old corner saloon in Downey before there was any Downey.

Recently the license on the old saloon expired, and J. P. Squire headed the reform movement to prevent a renewal of the license by deluging the Supervisors with petitions.

The application was set for a hearing before the Board of Supervisors yesterday at 10 o'clock. About 9:30 o'clock Roemer and Squire met in the corridor just outside the door of the Supervisors' room. Roemer asked Squire if he were the author of the petition. It must have surprised him to learn that such, indeed, was the case.

Roemer made some remarks that had to do with Squire's having written an anonymous letter to his wife; Squire said something about Roemer's wife.

Grand mud slinging with the whole stage engaged.

Finally Squire told Roemer he was a liar—which was rash of Squire, as he is a small man, and Roemer is a large and powerful man.

Roemer hit him a smash in the cheek that sent the Downey reform movement crashing through the door and tumbling into the Supervisors' chambers. In his wrath Roemer hit out again, but struck the door a tremendous blow that broke his hand.

Squire, streaming blood and yelling defiance to the whisky king, was tenderly rescued. When some bold spirit opened the door out upon the blood-thirsty gladiator, Roemer had gone.

Squire put off in furious haste to the Police Court, thirsting for vengeance. He swore to a warrant for Roemer's arrest, and Roemer delivered himself into custody.

He appeared before Justice Austin, with his hand bound up in a sling and pleaded guilty to battery, and was fined $15.

The Supervisors promptly denied Roemer's application for a license as soon as their nerves recovered; so the reform movement won out after all, in spite of the blood.

JUICE INJUNCTION.
HOOK VS. HUNTINGTON.

The Traction Company has gone into court against Huntington in the famous Vermont-avenue trolley pole race.

Yesterday Mr. Hook brought suit for the Traction against the San Gabriel Electric Company, the Los Angeles Railway Company, the Pacific Light and Power Co., and Los Angeles and Redondo Railroad Company. The object of the suit is to get an injunction against the defendant corporation to make them take their wires off Vermont avenue, where the Traction claims the right of way.

Hook was leisurely plugging in his trolley poles to get the juice from the Traction power-house to the new San Pedro line, when he woke up the other morning to find that Vermont avenue was fringed with gigantic poles carrying juice to Huntington's new Redondo line, which runs parallel to Hook's Redondo line.

Hook claims that the Huntington wire will destroy the efficiency of the Hook wires, that they will each interfere with the other by reason of induction.

The complaint sets up the alleged facts that the Huntington wires fairly surround the Hook wires. It is further alleged that the Huntington wires, not being insulated, will imperil the lives of the Traction linemen when they crawl up in the labyrinth to make repairs.

Hook asks for $500 damages; for an injunction to prevent Huntington from going on with the work, and for an order to make him take away the poles and wires already in position.

Judge Conrey has granted a temporary restraining order, and has ordered the defendants into court August 25 at 10 o'clock a.m., to show why an injunction should not issue.

TAKE AWAY BEES.
RANCHERS' PETITION.

Robert Dunn of Castalc Cañon has petitioned the Board of Supervisors to please take the bees out of his hay field.

Dunn has a hay field with a great crop ready to cut. It's just across the road from a big apiary of 300 stands of bees belonging to one L. E. Mercer.

He can't get anybody to bale the hay or cut it while the bees persist in being so neighborly. He has asked the Board of Supervisors to declare the apiary a nuisance.

The matter was referred to the District Attorney.

COURT NOTES.
BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTS COMMISSION. L. E. McLellan has sued Hiram Leihead for $1000 alleged to be due him as commission for selling the Tallyho Stables.

CONSTABLE SUED. Henry H. Yonkin, township constable, has been sued by Augusta E. Springman, who claims that her cigar factory was wrongfully levied upon. She claims $2500 damages.

MAIL CLERK ARRESTED. W. W. Orme, a railway mail clerk, was arrested yesterday on a charge of threatening to kill H. M. Rogers, who boards at Hotel Palms. Orme was arraigned before Justice James and gave $500 bonds for his appearance for examination Thursday morning. Orme is the son of a rich cattle man of Arizona, and the nephew of the Sheriff of Maricopa county.

SET JUDGMENT ASIDE. Stanley F. McClung has sued T. J. McCarthy and others to set aside a judgment.

PETITION FOR LETTERS. Aaron Miller and J. A. Coner have petitioned for letters of administration in the estate of Henry Epperly, the property in the estate being valued at $14,000.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

IRISH WIT SEASONED TAMALE MAN'S CHILI.

"HOT STUFF" SERVED WITH BOTH FEET IN THE SAUCE.

Case Settled by Turning Cash into the City Treasury—Boys Pay Heavy Fines for Throwing Stones at Railroad Train.

Charles Hillis, enlivened by a goodly jag, went to the tamale stand of Luke Brown, a colored man, who conducts a nocturnal business on the corner of First and Los Angeles streets, Monday evening, to partake of a bowl of chili.

Mixed with the "hot stuff," was a modicum of Mr. Hillis's Irish wit, which was not altogether to the taste of the colored caterer, and it resulted in a two-handed riot.

"What's the matter with your blankety-blank chili?" quoth the facetious Mr. Hillis.

"What's the matter with you, you drunken plunk-plunk?" responded Brown, not to be outdone by his customer.

They bandied compliments for a time, but it finally got too hot to please the colored man's taste, as the chili appeared to be for Hillis, so the caterer walked out and knocked his humorous customer into the gutter, punched him with a stool, tramped him in the face, and performed a few other little antics, which attracted the attention of Policeman Long, and he roped both the offenders in, and stopped the play.

Justice Austin patiently heard the whole story, and then fined Hillis $5 for his unsearonable wit, and Brown—well, he said he thought Brown had lacked a fair average of tenderness of heart in stamping Hillis's head with both feet, and scored up $15 against him.

Police Court Briefs.

The boys who were convicted of throwing stones at a Southern Pacific train, appeared for sentence yesterday. Two of them, Charles Wagner and Oscar Ortmeier, were fined $10 each, but Samuel Faulkes, "dat leedle poy vat cried," got off with a lecture from Justice Austin.

Richard Seagraves was convicted of begging on the streets, and was given a thirty-day floater.

B. Antoioli, of the Europa Hotel, on San Fernando street, was yesterday convicted of a violation of the license ordinance, and fined $25.

Four more unfortunate gentlemen, who were caught in the act of riding a bicycle on the sidewalk, were invited to replenish the city treasury, yesterday. Three of the four had fallen into the net of Patrolman Randolph, the colored policeman, whose permanent beat is in the neighborhood of the street improvements on East Seventh street.

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CAPT. LASHER SHOT DOWN.

Attempt to Murder in Soldiers' Home.

Hospital Steward's Life Nearly Taken.

Drunken and Deranged Fred Gerant's Four Bullets Take Effect.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SOLDIERS' HOME, Aug. 19.—Doubly deranged by liquor and an old wound in the head, Fred Gerant, a member of the Home, deliberately attempted the murder of Capt. H. D. Lasher, the hospital steward, this morning, and succeeded in placing four bullets in his victim's body.

Gerant made the round of the offices about 11 o'clock, threatening and grumbling in a chronic way which bored, but did not alarm the force, as he has often in his irrational spells given vent to his spleen in the same manner.

About 11:30 o'clock he entered the hospital office through the side door, and finding Capt. Lasher seated at his desk, began hurling at him the foulest imprecations he could muster. The officer turned in his chair to face Gerant, but before he could rise the demented man whipped a revolver from his pocket and fired pointblank, at a distance of but a few feet from his intended victim, the bullet striking the fleshy part of the neck. Lasher staggered to his feet, but before he could reach Gerant, four more shots had been fired and he fell unconscious by the side of a table. Of the last shots three took effect in the officer's legs, making only superficial wounds. The fourth struck the wall, and passing through a heavy partition, came out in the surgeon's room.

The would-be murderer walked coolly into the hallway and gave himself up immediately, apparently in the sanest and calmest of mental states, and remarked composedly that the only thing which bothered him then was the fact that he had failed in getting the rest of the staff, beginning with Gen. LaGrange.

Maj. H. E. Hasse, surgeon-in-charge, and Assistant Surgeon Burton, made a hurried examination and found the only serious wound to be that made by the first ball. The missile had been deflected by the muscles and ligaments, and in passing down grazed the top of the left lung. Notwithstanding the serious nature of the wound and the recipient's advanced years Capt. Lasher bore up remarkably well, and is resting easily this evening, although of course in a very precarious condition, as the crisis of the case has not yet arrived.

Although Capt. Lasher has been connected with the Home little more than a year, he has made many warm friends, and the conduct of his office has been exemplary. So far as is known he has not an enemy and had no cause to have any, and profound sympathy is expressed in all quarters. Capt. Lasher served through the Civil War with the One Hundred and Sixty-second New York Volunteer Infantry, and afterward had several enlistments in the regular service. He is a little over 55 years of age, a year younger than his assailant.

Gerant is a veteran of the Civil War also, and has spent some time in the marine service. While in the army he received a serious head wound from a fragment of shell, which has made him subject to irrational fits ever since. Every slight indulgence in liquor has served, as it did today, to throw him completely off his mental balance. By many of the attaches he has long been regarded as a fit subject for the insane asylum.

Gerant was arrested this afternoon by the civil authorities and taken to Santa Monica, where, before Justice Guidinger, he was formally charged with assault with intent to commit murder. The preliminary examination was set for Monday morning. Bail was fixed at $5000. Later in the day Constable Pritchard took him to Los Angeles, where he is in the County Jail.

Reported Dead.

Early this morning there was an unconfirmed report in Los Angeles that Capt. Lasher had died during the night. The Coroner had not been notified.

Resolutions of Respect.

At a regular meeting of Thomas Brennan Post, No. 380, Department of Kansas, G.A.R., held at their Hall Wednesday evening, August 13, 1902, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, information having been received from the Soldiers' Home, Los Angeles county, Cal., that at 6:30 o'clock on the morning of July 3, 1902, the spirit of our late comrade and Past Commander, Daniel G. Thrall, passed from this earthly sphere to the great beyond; and, whereas, John A. Martin Post, No. 153, Department of California and Nevada, G.A.R., laid our late Comrade to rest with all the honors of our order; therefore be it

Resolved, that in the passing away of our late comrade this post has lost a true and upright comrade and an earnest worker.

"I cannot say, and I will not say,
That he is dead; he is just away
With a cheery smile and a wave of the hand.
He has wandered into an unknown land,
And left us dreaming how very fair
It needs must be since he lingers there.
Think of him still as the same, I say;
He is not dead, he is just away."

Resolved, that the members of this post extend to the relatives of our deceased comrade our heartfelt sympathy in their affliction.

"Resolved, that the thanks of this post be and the same are hereby extended to the officers and members of of John A. Martin Post, No. 153, Department of California and Nevada, G.A.R., for the honrs paid by them to our late comrade.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the relatives of our late comrade, and be published in the Los Angeles Times, Los Angeles, Cal., and they be spread on the minutes of this post.

E. A. WATERHOUSE,
JAMES M. PAYNE,
STANTON PARK,
Committee.
ROBERT G. SPEDDY,
Commander.
CHAS. W. HEISLER,
Adjutant.

J. McKenzie Moss was yesterday nominated for Congress by the Republicans of the Third Kentucky District.

MINES AND MINING.

CHICAGO CAPITAL AFTER COLUMBIA COPPER MINE.

RUMORS OF BIG DEAL BREWING IN GOLD SPRINGS CAMP.

Fire in Jerome Mines Will Be Fought With Carbonic Gas—Miners' Association Meets—Remarkable Desert Well, Eureka Makes Strike.

Representatives of Chicago capital are nosing around in the Yellow Pine district of Southern Nevada, and there are rumors of a big deal brewing. The eastern crowd is believed to be casting covetous eyes at the Columbia mine, one of the most promising copper properties in that part of the country.

The Columbia is owned almost entirely by local capital, J. M. Hill of this city being the principal stockholder. It was originally located by Ben Hamilton, one of the first arrivals in the district fifteen years ago. Its location is known as the Good Springs camp.

Five years ago the Mineral Union limited, an English-German syndicate established a large ammonia process leaching plant at Gold Springs for the purpose of treating the copper ores of the district. It proved a failure although over $75,000 was invested in the enterprise. This company has done good deal of work on the Columbia mine, but owing to financial difficulties was forced to abandon the option. Since then the ore has been chloridied and shipped with very good results. It is apparently a valuable property.

P. E. Lawrance, who was recently in this city, is the chief representative of the Chicago people.

WILL FIGHT JEROME FIRE.

Senator W. A. Clark, who is now at his mines at Jerome, seems confident that the fire in the mine will be mastered in a short time. News from the camp is to the effect that since leaving this city last week he has completed arrangements for an immense plant to be constructed at once that will generate carbonic acid gas to be pumped into the mine for the purpose of extinguishing the smouldering fire that has been raging for years and recently broke out worse than ever.

The plan decided upon is to close all the openings of the mine and then pump in the carbonic acid gas under pressure. In this manner the oxygen in the mine will soon be exhausted and the fire smothered. This plan has worked successfully in other burning mines.

The fire in the Jerome mine has attracted widespread attention among the mining men in this part of the country, as it is one of the few copper mines with a fire record. In this case it is the ore itself that has furnished the fuel. The fire on this property has already resulted in the loss of several hundred thousand dollars.

MINERS' ASSOCIATION DIRECTORS

At a special meeting of the Southwest Miners' Association last evening it was voted to amend the articles of incorporation so as to provide for seven in place of eleven directors, as heretofore. Owing to the fact that several of the directors reside outside the city it has been with difficulty that a quorum has been obtained at the regular meetings. As the business of this organization is increasing each month the above change was deemed necessary.

New exhibits have been installed in the headquarters and there is little room for more. It is probable that the next movement inaugurated by the association will be in the interest of better accommodations.

REMARKABLE DESERT WELL.

People who labor under the delusion that Arizona is a barren waste, devoid of water and comprised mainly of burning sands and rivers bottom-side up, should pay a visit to the desert well recently opened up by the Socorro Gold Company, whose property lies in the Harqua Hala Mountains near Harrisburg, says the Wickenburg New-Herald. This company has developed a phenomenon in the way of a water supply for the mill and mine. The well is located in the level desert and is only twenty-two feet deep, but its supply is equal to at least 15,000 gallons every twenty-four hours. The well can easily supply 350 stamps. With such a large available supply it is expected that the company will begin some extensive improvements.

EUREKA MAKES STRIKE.

The Eureka Mining Company that is operating in the Huachuaca Mountains, Ariz., has uncovered a rich and extensive vein, which gives indications of proving of permanent value. The strike consists of a five-foot ledge of boinite ore carrying high values in silver, besides copper. Since the last find the company, backed with ample capital to fully develop the territory, has closed negotiations for several adjoining claims.

FANCY ORE OR TONOPAH.

Samples of some very fine selected ore from the Tonopah district of Nevada were exhibited during the Knights of Pythias assemblage in San Francisco. They are from the Mizpah, Tybo and Fraction claims. The samples from the Mizpah ledge assayed 5000 ounces of silver and $1000 in gold to the ton.

At the time of the issue of the Tonopah Bonanza the main shaft of the Tonopah Company's mine had reached a depth of 390 feet, and the cross-cut 450 feet.

The Randolph Mining Company, which owns a group of eight claims a little over a mile east of Oddie Mountain in Southern Nevada, and through which the Tonopah Company's ledges are supposed to run, has begun the sinking of a double compartment shaft. The company is strong financially, and will sink to a depth of 500 feet if necessary.

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCKS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Andes	3	Mexican	41
Belcher	6	Occidental Con	10
Best & Belcher	10	Ophir	110
Bullion	1	Overman	23
Caledonia	135	Potosi	18
Challenge Con	20	Savage	9
Chollar	6	Sag Belcher	5
Confidence	75	Sierra Nevada	17
Con. Cal. & Va	125	Silver Hill	50
Crown Point	7	Union Con	17
Gould & Curry	12	Utah Con	1
Hale & Norcross	10	Yellow Jacket	12
Justice	4		

JUSTICE SHIRAS TO RETIRE.

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Aug. 19.—"It is true that my father expects to retire from the bench of the Supreme Court early in the coming year," said Attorney George Shiras today. This is the first direct statement confirmatory to the report that Justice Shiras contemplated leaving the bench.

ACTRESS SPOILS HER FACE.

HELENA (Mont.) Aug. 19.—Rose Coghlan, the actress, was severely injured last night because she mistook a bottle of carbolic acid for a face lotion. She applied the acid to her face in a dark room, and barely escaped destroying her eyesight. Her face was badly burned before she discovered her error.

A GIRL'S PLUCK.

Food That Cut Work in Half.

The food that will enable a person to accomplish in one year the work laid out for two years is worth knowing about. Miss Annie Avery, a student in Lanark, Ont., writes: "I know I felt my ill health even more than if I had been engaged in any other work, as the confinement of school only increased my sickness and inability to study.

"Last year I was on the way to a general breakdown in health; I suffered from severe headaches, was becoming a confirmed dyspeptic, nervous system broken down and my condition went on from bad to worse until I was unable to study or even go to school. My parents were very anxious about me as medicine did not help and Mother hearing about Grape-Nuts obtained some and I commenced to use it at once; I was very much surprised at the quick effect the food had on me. I began to get better and as a result from its continued use I am no longer troubled with sick stomach and headaches, nor am I the nervous girl I was last year. I feel so well and study so well, that I am making an attempt to get my certificate with but one year's work, when at the very least two years are always allowed for it. I have gained thirty pounds since using Grape-Nuts and now enjoy good physical and mental health."

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If you feel that there is anything at all unusual or puzzling about your case, or if you wish confidential advice of the most experienced, write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., and you will be advised free of charge. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has cured and is curing thousands of cases of female trouble.

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HEAD

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ELIJAH THE RESTORER.

HE, HIMSELF INCLUDED, REINCARNATED FOR THIRD TIME, HAS REMARKABLE GIFTS—A PERSONAL WORKER—FOLLOWERS YIELD "OBEDIENCE TO GOD AND ALEXANDER DOWIE."

BY JAMES O'DONNELL BENNETT.

(SECOND PAPER.)

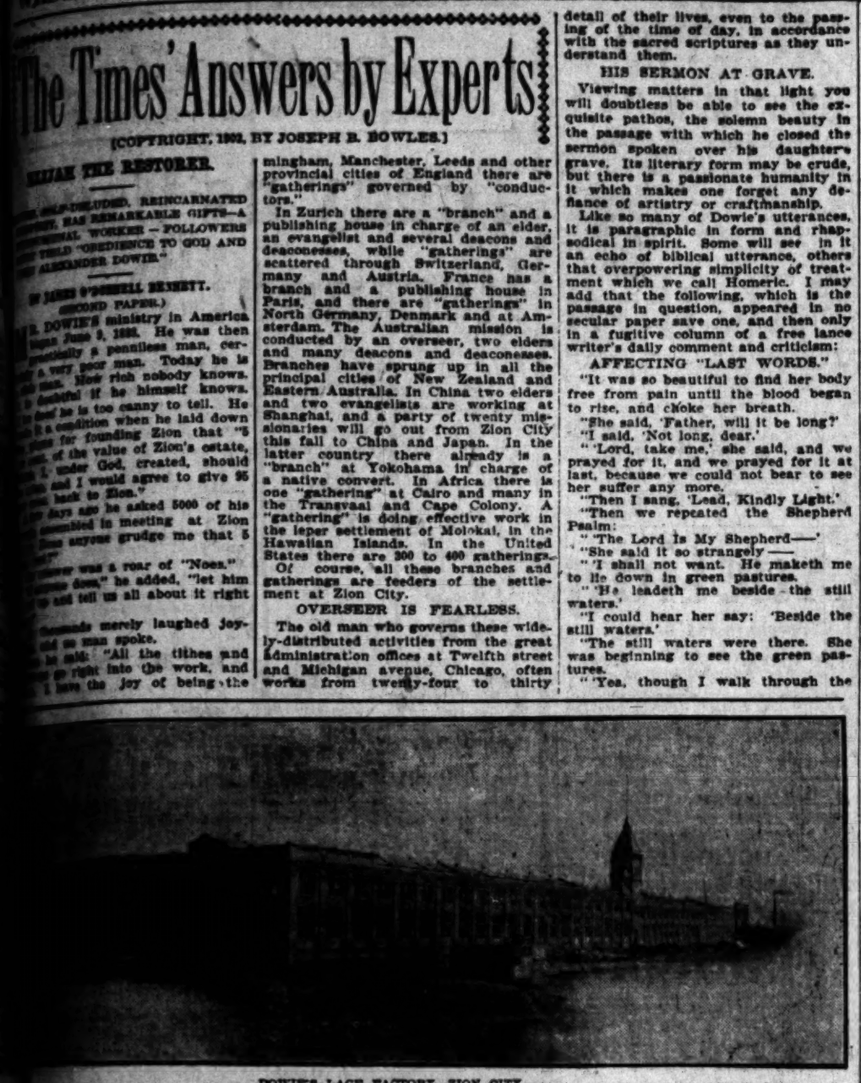
JOHN ALEXANDER DOWIE'S ministry in America began June 9, 1888. He was then practically a penniless man, certainly a very poor man. Today he is a rich man. How rich nobody knows. Probably if he himself knows. He says he is too canny to tell. He has a condition when he laid down his plans for founding Zion that "5 per cent of the value of Zion's estate, which I, under God, created, should come back to me and I would agree to give 95 per cent back to Zion."

Some days ago he asked 5000 of his followers assembled in meeting at Zion City if anyone grudge me that 5 per cent."

There was a roar of "Noes." "Then come down," he added, "let him stand up and tell us all about it right here."

The crowds merely laughed joyously and no man spoke.

Then he said: "All the tithes and offerings go right into the work, and I have the joy of being the



DOWIE'S LACE FACTORY, ZION CITY.

[illegible] go to the church. It is a [illegible] IS LARGE SUMS DAILY.

[illegible] great sheaves of requisitions and other documents from his [illegible] heads of departments every [illegible] morning and it is a common [illegible] for him to sign away $20,000 a day or after day.

"Recently," he said, "sign away [illegible] and sometimes $150,000 in a day. I never stops, and it never [illegible] me."

There are some aspects of Dowie, the [illegible] and administrator. [illegible] preacher his overbearing vitality, his downright hammer-[illegible] methods are equally [illegible] He speaks without notes, and [illegible] sentences are likely to be [illegible] a shrill, almost a whining [illegible] there is a most curious [illegible] of the Scotsman, the Irishman, the Englishman of the North [illegible] and the London cockney. [illegible] is nothing more than a [illegible] of all the accents heard [illegible] British colonists of Aus-

hours at a stretch. Occasionally he spills forty-two, forty-three or forty-four hours without sleep. Nothing is too petty to command his devout and undivided attention, be it only his verdict on a wholesome brand of baking powder, made in his own laboratories and labeled "The White Dove," for consumption by the faithful. As he is without the ordinary physical limitations, so he is without physical fear. Many Chicago reporters have seen him stand, unmoved and unhurt, among a shower of offensive and dangerous missiles and finish a prayer before a congregation he had gathered in the hall of some unfriendly suburb.

BACKS CLAIMS WITH SCRIPTURE.

John the Baptist took his place in sacred history as the reincarnation of Elijah. The idea and the mysterious, picturesque career of the prophet appealed to Dowie's ardent soul. What John did, what might he not do? So he announced himself as Elijah a third time incarnate. It gave him a fuller scope for carrying on his weird but eminently purposeful propaganda. He says he can heal by the laying on of hands. So eminent and matter-of-fact an investigator as Cesare Lombroso believes consumption can be cured by religious and hypnotic suggestion. The more you study Dr. Dowie and his methods, the more often you discover that he makes no claim that he cannot in one way or another back up with some kind of authority—scriptural or profane. He is nothing if not shrewd.

HIS DAUGHTER'S DEATH.

Perhaps the most brilliant side light ever shed upon the personality, the temperament, the character of John Alexander as teacher, ecclesiastic and father is contained in the sermon he preached over the body of his daughter, Esther, by all accounts an amiable and beautiful young woman of much piety and considerable intellect.

In a momentary impulse of feminine vanity this lady broke her father's rule against the use of spirit lamps for the heating of irons employed in hair-dressing. The lamp was overturned, her garments were ignited and she inhaled the flames, dying in a few hours later after suffering terrible agony.

The scarred body was laid to rest in the peaceful graveyard of Zion City. The grief of the faithful, to whom the fair young creature had endeared herself, made a public funeral appropriate, and it was attended by thousands.

In the sermon which Mr. Dowie preached as he looked down at the open grave, the stern moralist was not lost in the father. Sincere, even terrible as his grief was, he was merciless in drawing a moral from his daughter's act of disobedience. He made his hearers understand thoroughly that in her death he saw the payment of a penalty and expiation—cruel, perhaps, and out of proportion to the offense—but still a penalty and an expiation decreed by heaven.

HIS HOMERIC SIMPLICITY.

For these utterances the preacher and father was severely criticised, and many who took no issue with him as to the doctrine of penance set forth in his discourse, questioned the taste of the way he laid his grief-stricken heart bare to the public gaze. We must remember, however, that life in Zion is singularly intimate; that all are brethren and sisters, one to another, and sons and daughters of the general overseer. Hence, what might be the veriest cant in the secular world is honest, accepted speech in a community of zealots who order every detail of their lives, even to the passing of the time of day, in accordance with the sacred scriptures as they understand them.

HIS SERMON AT GRAVE.

Viewing matters in that light you will doubtless be able to see the exquisite pathos, the solemn beauty in the passage with which he closed the sermon spoken over his daughter's grave. Its literary form may be crude, but there is a passionate humanity in it which makes one forget any defiance of artistry or craftmanship.

Like so many of Dowie's utterances, it is paragraphic in form and rhapsodical in spirit. Some will see in it an echo of biblical utterance, others that overpowering simplicity of treatment which we call Homeric. I may add that the following, which is the passage in question, appeared in no secular paper save one, and then only in a fugitive column of a free lance writer's daily comment and criticism:

AFFECTING "LAST WORDS."

"It was so beautiful to find her body free from pain until the blood began to rise, and choke her breath.

"She said, 'Father, will it be long?'

"I said, 'Not long, dear.'

"'Lord, take me,' she said, and we prayed for it, and we prayed for it at last, because we could not bear to see her suffer any more.

"Then I sang, 'Lead, Kindly Light.'

"Then we repeated the Shepherd Psalm:

"'The Lord Is My Shepherd——'

"She said it so strangely——

"'I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures.

"'He leadeth me beside the still waters.'

"I could hear her say: 'Beside the still waters.'

"The still waters were there. She was beginning to see the green pastures.

"'Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death I will fear no evil.'

"And that was all we could hear.

"She closed her lips and she was sleeping.

"I would let none weep.

"I sang to her the song I have sung so many times to those who were sleeping in Jesus, and when I had finished it she departed without sigh, without a tremor.

"My hand was upon her head and my hand upon her body and I felt no quiver.

"She opened her eyes and smiled, and she had slept.

"And now I stand here and I have no daughter on earth.

"I had only one. You must all be my daughters, daughters of Zion.

"I have no daughter."

PREACHER'S COMPLEX NATURE.

Such is one aspect of Dowie, impassioned, volatile, combative; creative but iconoclastic; showering abuse and bestowing tender benediction with equal fluency; vain, yet willing to kneel in prayer over the suppurating feet of

SHILOH PARK AND TABERNACLE AT ZION CITY. WHITE-ROBED CHOIR IN PROCESSION.

[illegible] Dowie spent many years

[illegible] HIS OWN SERMONS.

[illegible] are taken down by two [illegible] stenographers. He [illegible] frequent sprinkling of short, [illegible] which in the printed [illegible] set off in paragraphs. This [illegible] his matter easy to read, [illegible] when you remember that [illegible] utterance of his is circulated by hundreds of thousands of [illegible] papers printed in his [illegible] house.

[illegible] of the more familiar passages as the basis of his [illegible] preaches close to the text, [illegible] apply without compromise [illegible] aspect of every man's life. [illegible] topics are temperance in [illegible] and abstinence as to in[illegible], shell fish—which he [illegible] of the sea—tobacco [illegible] obedience to God and [illegible] Dowie, the terms be[illegible]mable, personal cleanli[illegible]ning belief in the Bible, [illegible]k.

[illegible] him berate his people [illegible] them that they "stink" [illegible] that sturdy Saxon word [illegible]nson relished it—ho d[illegible] the while and making [illegible] faces.

[illegible] chooses to condole with [illegible] quite as effectively. [illegible] respectfully when he de[illegible] as "swine" and "grunt[illegible] cry when he blesses them, [illegible] children and tells them [illegible] them even as David

[illegible] OF SURPRISES.

[illegible] of nervous energy and [illegible] The nervous energy [illegible] for the people. The [illegible] keep them interested, [illegible] Life in Zion is placid, [illegible] But it is never dull. [illegible] overseer" of the "Christ[illegible] Church in Zion thoroughly may be depended upon [illegible] a weekly sensation which, [illegible] it may be or how[illegible] is bound to prove diverting [illegible] to all the faithful.

[illegible] BRANCHES OF ZION.

[illegible] work is confined neither to [illegible] Chicago. The last [illegible] name, "Christian Catholic Church in Zion Throughout the [illegible] high-sounding figment [illegible] overseer's luxuriant imagination. There is a "branch" of the [illegible] of the Zion publishing [illegible] at 31 Essex road, London, [illegible] an evangelist and several deaconesses. At Birmingham, Manchester, Leeds and other provincial cities of England there are "gatherings" governed by "conductors."

In Zurich there are a "branch" and a publishing house in charge of an elder, an evangelist and several deacons and deaconesses, while "gatherings" are scattered through Switzerland, Germany and Austria. France has a branch and a publishing house in Paris, and there are "gatherings" in North Germany, Denmark and at Amsterdam. The Australian mission is conducted by an overseer, two elders and many deacons and deaconesses. Branches have sprung up in all the principal cities of New Zealand and Eastern Australia. In China two elders and two evangelists are working at Shanghai, and a party of twenty missionaries will go out from Zion City this fall to China and Japan. In the latter country there already is a "branch" at Yokohama in charge of a native convert. In Africa there is one "gathering" at Cairo and many in the Transvaal and Cape Colony. A "gathering" is doing effective work in the leper settlement of Molokai, in the Hawaiian Islands. In the United States there are 300 to 400 gatherings.

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LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

[The Times freely publishes the views of correspondents, without holding itself responsible for writers' opinions. Be brief, write plainly, state clearly. The space of 250 words, on the average, is sufficient for the expression of an idea.]

Zita is Happy.

BERKELEY (Cal.) Aug. 17.—[To the Editor of The Times:] I want to thank you very, very much for what you did in helping me to reach Berkeley. The only thing I can think of is to say, "Thank you very, very much," and to do the very best I can in my work up here. It seems to me to be a very poor way of expressing appreciation, but I heartily mean every word of it, and I only wish I could do or say something that could be worthy of your great kindness.

I am enjoying myself pretty well up here, and I think Berkeley is a beautiful place, but not quite so beautiful as Los Angeles. I appreciate more every day the good things of Los Angeles, for they are so much better than the things up here. Again thanking my many friends and especially The Times for their kindness to me and hoping that some day I shall be able to repay them, I am very gratefully,

ZITA BAILEY.

P. S.—The U. C. is all O. K., though.

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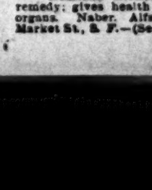

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THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Drill Teams.

The drill team of East Side Camp, Woodmen of the World, and guards of Laurustinas Circle, No. 83, Women of Woodcraft, will give exhibition drills at Woodmen Temple, 125½ S. Spring street, Tuesday evening.

Victim Unidentified.

The Coroner's jury in the case of the body of a man found on Vermont avenue, rendered a verdict of suicide, yesterday, but was in possession of no new evidence that would throw light upon the identity of the victim.

Boer General Here.

Gen. Saul Pearson of South Africa, one of the commanders of the Boer forces in the recent war, registered at the Van Nuys last night. With him is Wesley Merritt of Chicago, author of a history of the war from the Boer standpoint.

Big Oxnard Excursion.

The Chamber of Commerce Oxnard special leaves for the mammoth sugar factory tomorrow morning from the Arcade Depot at 8:30 o'clock. Up to yesterday 100 tickets had been sold, and others wishing to take the trip will have to engage passage today at the chamber.

Sycamore Grove Frontage Wanted.

The meeting of Highland Park citizens called for last night to take steps toward condemnation proceedings for the required frontage along Sycamore Grove for the Pasadena boulevard, was postponed until next Tuesday evening, on account of the sessions of the county Republican convention. About 1600 feet of the frontage along Sycamore Grove is all that is required to complete the plans for the improvement of Pasadena avenue.

Stripped Flesh from Arm.

Florindo Fanucchi, an Italian who cleans windows of business houses, was painfully injured yesterday morning near Third and Main streets. He had mounted a long ladder and slipped and fell, catching his arm on the edge of a large brass sign. The flesh was almost literally stripped from his right forearm and he lost a large quantity of blood, several arteries being severed. He walked to the Receiving Hospital, leaving a trail of blood along the sidewalk. The lacerated flesh was stitched together and he was then sent home.

Requiem Masses.

Tomorrow morning in all the Catholic Churches of the city requiem masses will be said for the repose of the soul of the late Don Juan P. Foster, this being the first anniversary of his death. The mass at the Cathedral of St. Vibiana will be celebrated at 7:30, with Very Rev. P. Harnett as celebrant; at the Church of Our Lady of the Angels at 8; at Sacred Heart Church, East Los Angeles, at 7; at St. Mary's Church, Boyle Heights, at 8, and at St. Joseph's Church at 8. Friends are invited to attend the church most convenient to them. Don Juan Foster was one of the old residents of this city, and had a wide acquaintance throughout the State. He was a brother-in-law of Senator R. F. Del Valle.

BREVITIES.

Valuable collection of pictures. Secure the story of the greatest disaster of modern times by sending 10 cent to The Times for the first part of "Martinique, St. Vincent and Danish West Indies," and other parts, to follow. See detailed three-column announcement today.

Hair on ladies' faces destroyed; impossible to grow again; no pain; no trace. Miss J. E. Macleod, electric needle specialist, 218 South Broadway, suite 224.

Do not fail to attend the auction sale of chairs at the big tent, corner of Seventh and Main streets, Wednesday and Friday, 2 p.m. C. M. Stevens, auctioneer.

Fine cabinet photos reduced to $1, $1.75 per dozen. Sunbeam, 236 S. Main.

Ohio Society picnic, August 21.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union Telegraph Company's office for M. J. Gilbo, E. W. Larned, R. C. Cline, Dr. Edward Pierce, Miss Pearl Hart, Mrs. A. E. Newton, C. W. Johnstone, Mrs. Nettie Jalquette, George F. Cochran, Mrs. Zech Elkin, John Evans, Addison S. Carter, G. F. Hatton, W. J. McIntyre, A. S. Dodge, F. S. Chadbourne.

PERSONAL.

I. Henry Hirsch registered at the Angelus yesterday from Bahia, Brazil.

Dr. W. H. Wilson and wife, of Table Rock, Neb., are staying at the Van Nuys.

Julius Ebel, proprietor and editor of the Santa Maria Times, is in Los Angeles.

J. H. McClure, a large carpet dealer of Brooklyn, is at the Angelus with his wife.

J. L. Hydes, manager of the Crucible Steel Company of America, San Francisco, is at the Van Nuys.

A. A. Gage of Tombstone, son of E. B. Gage of Phoenix, the mining man, is registered at the Van Nuys.

C. L. Merrill, assistant cashier of the National Bank of Commerce of St. Louis, is in Los Angeles on a pleasure trip.

W. A. Doble of Doble, Abner & Co., dealers in iron, steel and electric motors, San Francisco, is a guest at the Van Nuys.

Frank Domingues, Esq., who has been making an extended visit in Los Angeles, expects to return to Manila about September 1.

Capt. C. N. Sterry and son, and J. A. Graves and son, and F. W. King, returned yesterday from a month's camping trip on the Williamson River, Or.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Worm of West Eleventh street, arrived home Monday night from a three months' trip to Hawaii. They returned by way of Vancouver, visiting numerous other northern points on their way down.

HAPPY ELKS.

Hundred More Come in from San Francisco to Enjoy Los Angeles Sights and Hospitality.

To tell how and how much the visiting Elks enjoyed themselves yesterday would fill several pages of a newspaper, and then the tale would be only half told. A large number went to Catalina and saw things that their friends in the East will regard as pipe dreams. Most of them testified on their return from the island that they experienced strange sensations. This, which was disagreeable, only made that which was pleasant more so. Others drifted to the beaches; some to the mountains, a few to Pasadena, and many were content with staying in town and partaking of the good cheer that was so bountifully provided for them in the reception rooms at Elks Hall.

All day the long table in the main hall, which is loaded with fruit, sandwiches and liquid refreshment, was lined with a herd of the "long horns," whose appetites had been whetted with their hurry to see everything worth seeing within a radius of a hundred miles.

About 100 Elks arrived from San Francisco yesterday, representing at least a dozen States. The most distinguished visitors are Past Grand Exalted Rulers Charles E. Picket of Waterloo, Iowa, and John W. Galvin of Cincinnati, Grand Trustees Charles W. Meers and Joseph F. Fanning, and Exalted Ruler Bert Feiblemen of Indianapolis.

Today all of the visitors who have not made other arrangements, will be driven around the city in tallyhos, automobiles and carriages, and this evening the local lodge will receive visiting Elks at a special session at Elks' Hall. In order to provide entertainment whereby the visitors may enjoy themselves to the utmost there will be an initiation and other dark and mysterious things which are designed to induce hilarity.

A carload of Massachusetts Elks are scheduled to arrive today. Hereafter the arrivals will be in scattering parties, but only a few more are looked for. There are now about eight hundred members of the Salt Lake City delegations in the city.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

Lemeul Winfield Pratt, aged 55, native of Maine, and Hannah M. Brand, aged 50, native of Wisconsin; residents of Ontario.

Raymond Morgan, aged 21, native of Illinois, and Mignon Keeney, aged 18, native of New Mexico; both residents of Los Angeles.

Lee Lyman Payne, aged 25, native of California, and L. Isabel Hodges Rademacher, aged 22, native of Michigan; residents of Los Angeles.

Eugene Arnett, aged 31, native of Colorado, and Lucy B. Clayton, aged 21, native of Kentucky; residents of Los Angeles.

Van Cleve Williams, aged 22, native of Missouri, and Fannie Belle Colls, aged 21, native of Iowa; residents of Los Angeles.

Claud A. Henderson, aged 23, native of Iowa, resident of Bozeman, Mont., and Mary A. Dolton, aged 23, native of Illinois; resident of Pasadena.

Edgar W. Langstaff, aged 21, native of Iowa, resident of Los Angeles, and Flora J. Jones, aged 21, native of Illinois, resident of Pasadena.

Percy Larder, aged 24, native of Canada, and Heserier Manning, aged 23, native of England; residents of Los Angeles.

MARRIAGE RECORD.

LIST-TANDAY—At San Francisco, Saturday, August 16, by Rev. Arthur H. Briggs, pastor of Central M. E. Church, Virginia A. List and Arthur E. Tandy, both of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

DOWNS—At the residence of J. A. Smith, August 18, 1902, Mrs. Phebe Downs, mother of Mrs. J. A. Smith and Miss Hettie Downs. Funeral from the residence, No. 1249 East Ninth street, today at 2 p.m.

FORD—August 14, 1902, Lee Nelson Ford, aged 20 years, only son of Fred L. and Hettie E. Ford, No. 406 Mozart street, Los Angeles. (Wichita, Kan., papers please copy.)

Funeral Notice—South Gate Lodge.

The funeral of Brother C. H. Wolcott, late a member of Billings Lodge, F. & A. M., of Billings, Mont., will be held on Thursday, August 21, 1902, under the auspices of South Gate Lodge, No. 329, F. & A. M. Members of said lodge, and members of Funeral Committee are ordered to meet at lodgeroom of said lodge, corner of Main and Thirtieth streets, at 1 o'clock p.m. sharp. Visiting Master Masons cordially invited.

By order of Masonic Board of Relief.

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Card of Thanks.

The many friends who so kindly assisted me during the sickness and death of my son, Herbert, may God bless them.

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A SPLENDID HISTORY

For Readers of "The Times"—A Chance to Secure a Great Work at a Low Price.

The Times has made arrangements with a prominent publication house to secure for its readers a set of views of the islands of Martinique, St. Vincent, Guadeloupe, St. Lucia, Dominica, Barbadoes, the Danish West Indies, with the last views of Mont Pelee, La Soufriere and the cities buried by the recent volcanic eruptions.

These views are of very great interest at present and will be of permanent value. The work is both descriptive and historical, giving facts and data of the more important West Indian Islands brought into public notice by the recent volcanic disturbances. It gives in a concise and interesting way their origin, geographical and political character with the history and characteristics of the people. The exceptionally clear and artistic views show very graphically the charming aspects of Martinique, St. Vincent and other places before the eruptions of Mont Pelee and La Soufriere, while the large number of views taken since these disasters show the country as it now is, and convey as realistic an effect as could be attained by a personal visit. The descriptions and views of the Danish West Indies included in the work will be not only of present but of permanent interest, as these islands, in all probability, will soon be a portion of United States territory.

The illustrations are from photographs, many of which were taken at the risk of the lives of the daring photographers, and include views of the various islands and their people, more particularly of Martinique and St. Vincent. Forty of these views were taken while Mont Pelee was still in eruption, and convey, better than any text, an idea of the destruction and desolation of this dreadful disaster. Many views are given of Guadeloupe, St. Lucia, and Dominica, in which many of the inhabitants of the stricken country have taken refuge. The views of the country and people in the Danish West Indies give a faithful representation of what promises to be soon a portion of the United States.

The work is beautifully printed on the finest quality of coated paper, made especially for this edition, and has been executed with great care throughout. The size, 10x13, gives opportunity to display the illustrations to the best advantage, while not too large to go on the library shelf.

The work will be issued in ten parts of 16 pages each and sold for 10 cents a part, or $1 for the complete work. When sent by mail, the price will be 12 cents a part, or $1.20 for the complete work, postpaid. Readers of The Times can secure any part, or the whole work, by cutting out a coupon printed in The Times and bringing or sending it to this office, with the proper amount.

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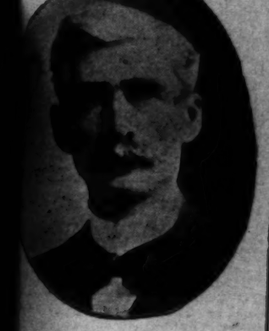

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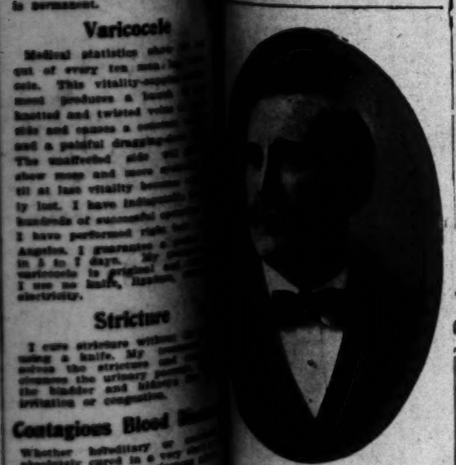

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Report of the Committee on Resolutions.

were cast to determine the delegates to be seated in order to avoid the necessity of having delegates cast fractions of votes. It was pointed out that such a course would destroy the secrecy of the ballot, as the votes would have to be inspected to ascertain that the delegate had cast the proper fraction of a ballot.

It required some time for the adjustment of the order of business, owing to the desire of candidates for nomination as Clerk and Sheriff to be first on the list. The provisions of the County Government Act of 1897 were adopted. This schedule places the nomination of Sheriff first after that of Superior judges.

Pasadena appeared to have the one solid delegation in the convention. It filed into the Pavilion yesterday morning vociferously shouting, "Well, well—Hartwell."

Considerable indignation was expressed by candiates for nominations to the Assembly at the action of the convention in instructing for Perkins for United States Senator. Some went so far as to declare that they will refuse to accept the nomination under such circumstances. Said one:

"What is the use of an Assemblyman going to Sacramento as a mere messenger boy of this convention? It may be entirely unwise to vote for Perkins when the legislators get to the Capitol, and I, for one, will refuse to accept nomination if bound by such instructions."

Among the 772 delegates to the convention are many tyros in politics. They wandered about the hall yesterday like lost souls vainly trying to find out what it was all about, anyway. Many of those seated near the rear of the hall were entirely unable to follow the proceedings because of the noise in the lobbies and acoustic properties of the Pavilion. The proceedings were mostly programmed after the election of the chairman, and the "push" leaders thought it entirely unnecessary that the delegates in the rear should concern themselves with what was going on. There were many indignant demands for quiet in the

JUDGE B. N. SMITH.

lobbies, and many calls for "louder" during the sessions, nevertheless.

One colored brother named Hawkins, with a voice like a twenty-horse-power foghorn, demanded and secured the addition of one name to the list of sergeants-at-arms. His nominating speech was justly considered the hit of the day.

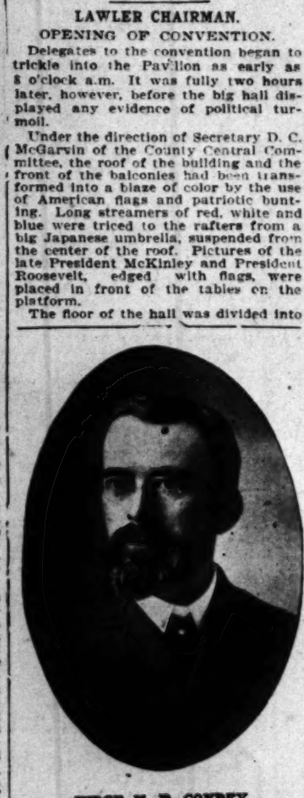
LAWLER CHAIRMAN.

OPENING OF CONVENTION.

Delegates to the convention began to trickle into the Pavilion as early as 8 o'clock a.m. It was fully two hours later, however, before the big hall displayed any evidence of political turmoil.

Under the direction of Secretary D. C. McGarvin of the County Central Committee, the roof of the building and the front of the balconies had been transformed into a blaze of color by the use of American flags and patriotic bunting. Long streamers of red, white and blue were tricked to the rafters from a big Japanese umbrella, suspended from the center of the roof. Pictures of the late President McKinley and President Roosevelt, edged with flags, were placed in front of the tables on the platform.

The floor of the hall was divided into



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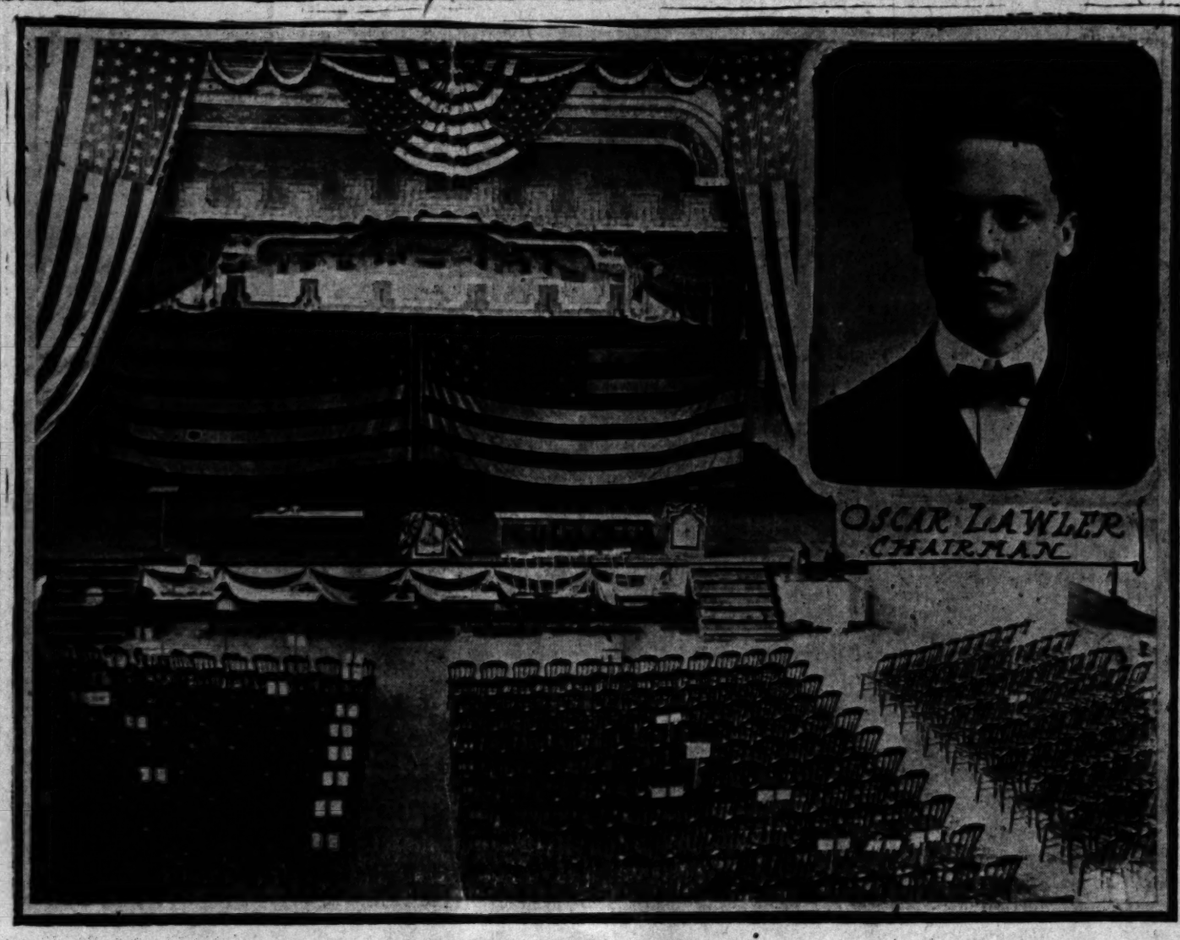
four sections. City delegates were arranged by wards in the two sections on the right of the center aisle. In the first section were seated delegates from the First, Second, Third and Fourth wards, and in the section on the chairman's extreme right, those from the Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth wards. On the left of the center aisle the delegates from the country were grouped according to Assembly districts



THE BIG CONVENTION HALL AND THE PRESIDING OFFICER.
[Photo of Oscar Lawler by Maroma.]

the Seventy-fourth, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth districts being seated in the first section and the Seventieth and Sixty-ninth districts on the extreme left, in the order named.

The lobbies and galleries were reserved for spectators. A number of ladies watched proceedings with interest from the balconies. Many candidates and politicians were busily trading votes in the lobbies, which were crowded. Among the "push" leftovers conspicuous by their absence from the floor was "Judge" J. W. McKinley, who was perched high and dry against the wall, disconsolate and alone.

CALL TO ORDER.

Bradner W. Lee, chairman of the Republican County Central Committee, stepped to the fore of the stage at 10:29 o'clock, pounded with a big mallet on a slab of wood and requested in the strongest voice he could command that delegates take their seats. After ten minutes of alternate pounding and shouting, the hum of voices ceased and Mr. Lee announced:

"The convention will please come to order. The first in the order of business is the reading of the convention call."

Walter Leeds of the First Ward moved that the convention dispense with the reading of the call. The motion carried.

Nominations for temporary chairman were called for and H. A. Barclay of the Fourth Ward gained immediate recognition from the chair. Addressing the convention from the platform, he said in part:

"Again we have gathered to select the men who shall transact the business of Los Angeles county for the next four years. Business is before us. We have the material for the platform; the men to erect it and the men to stand on it. The first thing to do in the erection of a great building is to canvass the field for an architect who should be a man who has had training; who can select the instruments and erect a structure that shall withstand the elements and resist the shock of the earthquake.

"I desire to present such a man. A man whom you all know and who knows most of you. A gentleman who has not come into this county in recent times, and who has not been struck by a new light in recent times. A man who was born into the Republican party, who has demonstrated his ability as a presiding officer and on whom you not only will confer an honor, but from whom that honor will redound to you. Gentlemen, I have the honor to nominate Oscar Lawler."

HARRIS NAMED.

Lawler's name was greeted with cheers, upon the subsidence of which Rev. L. P. Crawford rose from his seat in the Pasadena delegation and upon receiving recognition from the chair, mounted the platform.

As the tall patriarch turned about and faced the audience, a roll of cheers swept through the hall, and it was seen that there were many fond and admiring remembrances of the "Great Old Man's" part in former campaigns.

His voice still burning with the fires of oratory, he said in brief:

"Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen: I rise to place in nomination a man who is no stranger to you. A man whom to name is to love. A man who is eminently qualified to preside over your deliberations. A man who is a thorough parliamentarian. A man whose keen sense of justice, if you call him to the chair, will not permit him to take any unfair advantage of his position.

"I am aware it has been said this man is not an original member of the Republican party.

"Neither was he a Christian who became the original apostle to the Gentiles, nor did he change until he saw a great light and heard the divine call on the Damascus road.

"When the party to which he belonged spread its preachings of financial heresy at the convention of 1896 he was one of the first to renounce his allegiance to that party and to join the Republican ranks. You know that when this man was asked to enter the field no voice was more strong in pleading the cause of the party of his adoption. No man did more to place California in the column of Republican States that cast the electoral vote for that noble man, William McKinley.

"It gives me great pleasure to place in nomination for chairman of this convention the Hon. Will A. Harris."

The cheers that followed the nomination were loud and long, but there hardly was difference enough in volume to forecast the result of the ballot.

It was promptly moved and carried that nominations close. The chairman appointed the following tellers: H. A. Barclay, L. P. Crawford, Volney Craig, E. P. Johnson, Jr., W. R. Leeds and W. S. Vawter. George P. Adams moved to vote by secret ballot, each delegation filing to the front and voting as the name was called. Luther Brown jumped on a chair and seconded the motion, which carried with a rush. P. C. Daniels, Charles S. Swain, J. A. Reid and T. J. Waters were appointed ballot clerks. Ballot boxes were placed at the right and left of the platform for the city and county delegates respectively. Voting began at 10:15 o'clock and continued until 10:50 o'clock, this time being required to record the wishes of the 185 delegations. Owing to the secret ballot it was impossible to forecast the vote with any certainty and an air of expectation pervaded the convention. A steady hum of conversation, like the buzzing of a million bees, arose from the floor during the count. Many slates were made, broken and repaired by the active county candidates.

Chairman Lee noticed that members of the "push" were crowding around the table where the city votes were being counted in the hope of determining the relative city and county strength of the rival candidates for trading purposes. He quickly exchanged the ballot boxes and mixed the county and city vote. This move confounded the manipulators and they retired in confusion.

THE THREE SECRETARIES

LAWLER CHOSEN.

At 11:55 o'clock Chairman Lee announced that 759 ballots had been cast, of which 335 were for Will A. Harris and 424 for Oscar Lawler. Great applause followed the announcement, and at its close Mr. Harris rose and moved that the election be made unanimous.

Oscar Lawler was presented to the convention by Mr. Lee as temporary chairman of the convention. After thanking the convention for the honor and declaring his appreciation of the tremendous responsibilities of the position, Lawler said:

"The Republicans of the county, nay, of the State, have recently passed through a siege that it is seldom our fortune to endure, but notwithstanding the strain and internecine strife the grand old party is still triumphantly marching on. We have, before us, as an inspiration, the names of men who have consecrated their lives to liberty and the happiness of the American people. In the name of the county, in the name of the State of California, the Golden State, let us unite and stand before the country a grand united Republican party. If we stand together we can name a ticket that will prove a potent factor in procuring Republican victory in the State of California this fall.

"There is a vast amount of business before the convention. This is not a time for words; it is a time for deeds. I await your further pleasure."

SECRETARIES SELECTED.

Nominations of temporary secretaries then were made as follows: J. C. Platt, by P. Doyle of the Second Ward; Walter R. Leeds, by C. O. Winters of the First Ward, and Fred L. Alles, by John Luckenbach of the Fourth Ward. Capt. C. W. Hyatt moved that nominations close, and this motion was adopted, together with that of Luther Brown, that the men named act as joint secretaries.

James Cambell of Pasadena moved the appointment of Committees on Credentials, Permanent Organization and Order of Business, Platform and Resolutions, and the chairman announced that the committees would be named at the opening of the afternoon session.

A motion to adjourn until 1 o'clock was amended to read 2 o'clock, and at 12:02 o'clock delegates and spectators mingled in a conglomerate mass on Fifth street.

ORGANIZATION COMPLETED.

THE AFTERNOON SESSION.

There was a crowd in the lobbies and a fair attendance in the balcony when Chairman Lawler called the convention to order at 2:20 o'clock in the afternoon. The following committees were announced:

Permanent Organization and Order of Business—James Campbell, chairman; E. H. Lahee, W. J. Variel, Ira Harrington, Ben Johnson, Charles Batcheller, Leon F. Moss, Carl Kurtz, M. L. Starrin, T. B. Chapman, George W. Walker, Leo Longley, A. B. Clark, Dr. A. C. Keating, R. W. Burke.

Resolutions and Platform—George I. Cochran, chairman; N. M. Melrose, L. M. Baldwin, J. P. Nelson, H. C. Downing, J. J. Gosper, H. A. Barclay, Charles Winters, S. A. Bulfinch, W. S. Wright, S. W. Barton, W. S. Vawter, Robert Wankowski, W. P. L. Stafford, Dr. W. W. Beckett.

Credentials—Charles M. Stilson, chairman; H. C. Hubbard, H. G. Tinsley, R. E. Drummond, John E. Logan, T. H. Schrader, George Beebe, John F. Hughes, C. E. Donnatin, Harry Foster, C. B. Hendrickson, W. P. Jeffries, Charles Baldwin, W. H. Hosmer, E. A. Fischer, John B. Smith.

A recess was then taken to allow the committees to report. Owing to a contest over the order of business, it was after 4 o'clock when the convention again came to order. Some members of the Committee on Organization desired to fix the order of business according to the codes of the State and others favored the procedure outlined in section 55 of the county government act of 1897. The latter order was finally adopted by the committee, and approved by the convention as appears from the report. The genesis of the fight lay in the desire of both the candidates for the nomination for Sheriff

"Father" Crawford of Pasadena Nominates Will Harris in an Eloquent Speech.

and those for County Clerk to have their contest first on the list.

CREDENTIALS.

Chairman Jeffries read the report of the Committee on Credentails, and on motion of E. A. Meserve, which was carried, read only the portion relating to the three contests in the county. In the face of objections from the delegations affected the report was adopted without amendment. It is as follows:

We recommend that William Allen be seated in the place of W. M. Hunt from Catalina precinct, as it was a mistake in the printed list. As we found sixteen men contesting for three seats in the convention, we decided to draw lots with the following results:

In the matter of Pasadena, where six men were tied for one place, your committee thought it unwise to seat the whole number, giving them one-sixth of a vote each. We therefore placed the six names in a hat and the last one drawn out was James Clarke, and we recommend that he be seated.

In the matter of Whittier, where eight men were tie, they being entitled to only seven delegates, we also placed the names in a hat, and the last name out being Levi Wilson, we recommend that he be not seated.

Also in the Seventeenth Precinct, where two men were tied for one place the names were placed in a hat and that of Frank D. Owens was drawn out, and we recommend that he be seated.

In precincts outside of Los Angeles and Pasadena proxies are to be given only to delegates in the same precinct. When one delegate the proxy may be given to a delegate from an adjoining precinct.

The new primary law operates in Los Angeles and Pasadena, but not in the rural districts.

Chairman James Cambell of the Committee on Permanent Organization and Order of Business then read the report of that committee, the important parts of which, as amended, are as follows:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ORGANIZATION.

We recommend for permanent chairman Oscar Lawler; permanent secretary, W. R. Leeds; assistant secretaries, J. C. Platt, Fred L. Alles, O. W. Dunham.

That all candidates be assessed $10 each to be paid when their names are presented to the convention, except that candidates for justices of the peace and constables for townships outside of incorporated cities be assessed only $2.50 each.

After nominating speeches are made, the candidates shall be presented to the convention on the platform, but shall make no remarks.

That a resolution be adopted by the convention authorizing the chairman to appoint a committee of five to receive, audit, expend and disburse all moneys in accordance with the purity of election law.

That nominations of candidates be made by the convention in the order that the county officers are named in section 55 of the county government act of 1897, which is as follows: Four judges of the Superior Court, Sheriff, County Clerk, Auditor, Recorder, Tax and License Collector, District Attorney, Assessor, Treasurer, Superintendent of Schools, Public Administrator, Coroner, Surveyor.

We recommend for sergeant-at-arms of the convention A. H. Merritt; first assistant sergeant-at-arms, B. R. Parker; and the following assistants: L. A. Hunt, J. B. Sanchez, B. S. Hunter, E. R. McPhail, F. L. Ducasse, N. B. Walker, George Flood, J. J. Huston, R. A. Lawrence, E. D. Lane.

That district conventions be held at such times and places as may be designated by the chairman of this convention, as follows: A Senatorial convention for each of the following Senatorial districts: Thirty-fourth, Thirty-sixth, Thirty-eighth; an Assembly district convention for each of the following Assembly districts: Sixty-seventh, Sixty-eighth, Sixty-ninth, Seventieth, Seventy-first, Seventy-second, Seventy-third, Seventy-fourth, Seventy-fifth; a Supervisoral convention for the First and Third Supervisoral districts; and city and township conventions for the nomination of city and township justices and constables.

If any delegate is absent from the convention the other delegates from the same precinct, or if there is no other delegate remaining from the same precinct, then the other delegates from the same Assembly district shall have the power to determine by a majority vote which of such delegates may cast the additional vote, and the delegate so named may cast such additional vote in such convention.

That nominating speech shall be limited to five minutes, and there shall be no seconding speeches. Upon request of any candidate the chairman may extend the courtesy of this convention to any known Republican for the purpose of making a nominating speech.

That the voting for candidates be by secret ballot, and that any candidate to be nominated must have a majority of all votes cast. That all ballots shall be upon white paper. That all subconventions shall report back their nominations to this convention.

That, as a special order of business, a County Central Committee shall be selected by the precinct delegates, one member from each precinct.

That hereafter in all primary elections, or caucuses, to be held by the Republican party in this county, where no section of any State law makes provisions applying thereto, no person who is a candidate for delegate shall serve in any capacity upon any board of election officers selected to hold such caucus or primary, and no person serving upon such election board shall be eligible to be a delegate, and that the Republican County Central Committee shall so provide in their call for such caucus or primary.

That hereafter in calling primary elections for the election of delegates to county conventions, where no section of any State law makes provisions applying thereto, the County Central Committee is hereby instructed to provide in their call that the board of election officers at each precinct be

required to keep a tally list of each voter who offers or casts a ballot, on which shall appear the name and residence of each voter, that such list and all ballots shall be preserved, and in all cases that such election board place such tally sheet and lists, together with the ballots cast, in a sealed envelope, properly indorsed, and deliver the same with their returns to the secretary of the Republican County Central Committee, immediately after the canvassing of such votes, to be by him preserved until after the Committee on Credentials are discharged. They shall also provide that in case there shall be any contest, the party making the same must present it in writing with a statement of the facts, attested by the contestant or contestants, and at least two witnesses, together with written testimony, if any testimony is to be offered. The contestant or contestants must give three days' notice, in writing, of such contest to the party or parties of whom he or they complain; and that all matter relating to

any contest must be in writing, placed in a sealed envelope, properly indorsed and delivered to the secretary of the Republican County Central Committee prior to the hour of 10 o'clock a.m. on the opening day of the convention.

That no resolution shall be considered by this convention until it has been acted upon by the Committee on Platform and Resolution, and said resolutions shall be presented in writing.

That salaries be payable, during the convention as follows: To the secretary of the convention at the rate of $5 per day; to assistant secretaries, at the rate of $4 per day; to the sergeant-at-arms and first assistant sergeant-at-arms, $3.50 per day; to assistant sergeant-at-arms, $3 per day, night sessions being counted as part of the day.

That a County Central Committee, to consist of one member from each precinct in this county, be elected by this convention, and that such County Central Committee, at a meeting thereof to be held at a time and place fixed by the chairman of this convention, select its own chairman and executive committee and other officers in such manner as it may deem proper; that said County Central Committee shall have power to remove any committeeman who does not perform his duties as committeeman, and fill such vacancy.

That the Executive Committee of the County Central Committee, hereafter to be chosen, be and they are hereby authorized to fill all vacancies which may occur in the nomination of candidates for any cause; also to fill all vacancies which may be occasioned by the failure to make nominations; also all vacancies which may occur in the committee of five which shall be appointed to receive and expend moneys under the law.

A motion was made that the various township conventions be held subsequent to the adjournment of the convention at such time as the delegates in the subdivision might suggest. Mr. Lee explained that a doubt exists as to the power of the sub-conventions, and that to escape any ambiguity in the law it has been customary to have all nominations ratified by the whole convention. The motion was thereupon voted down.

THE RESOLUTIONS.

George I. Cochran, chairman of the Committee on Platform and Resolutions, then read its report, which was as follows:

Resolved, that we, the Republicans of the county of Los Angeles, in convention assembled, express our unqualified approval and indorsement of the principles of the Republican party as declared in the National Republican platform adopted by the National Convention at Philadelphia, in June, 1900.

That we indorse the wise, patriotic successful and thoroughly American administration of our late beloved President, William McKinley, and pledge the earnest support of every loyal Republican to his distinguished successor, Theodore Roosevelt, who is now performing the duties of this high office with such signal ability.

That we indorse the able, business-like and economical administration of the affairs of this State by our Governor, Henry T. Gage.

That we commend our senior United States Senator, George C. Perkins, for the energy and zeal with which he has guarded our interests and those of this nation at Washington, and we instruct our legislative nominees from the various Senatorial and Assembly districts of this county to vote for his reelection at the approaching session of the State Legislature.

We heartily indorse and express our warm appreciation of the services rendered by the Hon. James McLachlan, as our representative in the Fifty-fifth Congress. We especially commend his valuable services in behalf of the improvement of San Pedro and in securing a suitable appropriation for Federal building, Wilmington harbors, and for his intelligent devotion to the interests of this district and of the nation; and we pledge to him as the standard bearer of the Republican party in the Seventh Congress District of California the earnest and hearty support of all loyal Republicans.

We rejoice in the passage by Congress of a law providing for the reclamation of the arid lands of the United States.

We are heartily in sympathy with all efforts to further the cause of good roads, and favor national and State legislation leading toward the establishment of a system of national and State highways.

We favor the submission of a constitutional amendment providing for a system of direct legislation, State, county and municipal.

Believing that the people of this State are entitled to the best available service in all public positions, we favor the principle of the competitive merit system of appointment and promotion in State and county institutions; and we favor the passage of laws which would remove those positions which are essentially of a clerical or technical character from the hazard of partisan politics, and place them on a practical business basis.

FOR BARD, TOO.

W. H. Dickson of the Second Ward called attention to what he considered a deliberate snub of Senator Bard on the part of the committee, and he wanted to know why the report was

"bob-tailed." He made a motion that bouquets be given to all alike, and the following amendment was added to the report:

"Resolved that this convention heartily indorse the Hon. Thomas R. Bard for his able services to the State of California in the United States Senate."

It was announced from the platform by Chairman Lawler, speaking for the Committee on Resolutions, that Senator Bard's name had been omitted purely through oversight, and Chairman Cochran of the committee declared that such was the case, pointing to the fact that several friends of Senator Bard were on the committee.

When this matter had been adjusted, the adoption of the report in its entirety was moved and carried, and opposition, if it had any desire to protest, not being seen by the chairman.

At 5:30 o'clock the convention took a recess for dinner.

SLATE IN DANGER.

INDEPENDENTS REVOLT.

Considerable chuckling was indulged in by the "push" yesterday over the success it gained in organizing the convention, and boasts were made freely by the managers of the machine that they would put through their slate as it was printed in The Times yesterday morning.

They bragged a great deal about the infallibility of their programme, and went so far as to say that no candidate for office would have the courage to make a fight against them.

This air of bragadocio has had the effect, however, of arousing the independent delegates, of whom there are many in the convention, and the sting of the whip lash has caused many of them to revolt.

Some of the deals to which these delegates are expected to lend support are so raw that they cannot be swallowed, and it is likely that the programmers will have to make some radical changes in their methods if they expect to control a majority of the convention on every proposition.

There probably will be some large cracks in the "push" slate of nominations to be made today and tomorrow.

EVENING SESSION.

JUDGES NOMINATED.

Judge M. T. Allen.
Judge Lucien Shaw.
Judge B. N. Smith.
Judge N. P. Conrey.

These were the nominations to the Superior Court of Los Angeles county, made at last evening's session of the convention.

The result was reached only after two ballots had been taken, the second ballot being necessary through a mix-up caused by the unfortunate phraseology of the rules that governed the nomination, by which five candidates received a majority of the votes cast.

When the convention assembled at 7:35 o'clock it was thought the session would be brief, as the nomination of four judges was the only business programmed, and adjournment would have been taken at 10 o'clock had the first ballot decided the contest.

There was a larger crowd in the galleries and in the public lobbies than there had been at any time during the day, and the attendance of ladies was especially noticeable. Such a buzz of conversation prevailed throughout the hall that it was impossible for the convention to get down to business until Chairman Lawler had ordered the public lobbies cleared, and the spectators had taken seats in the lobbies.

An announcement then was read from H. C. Gooding, whose name appeared on the ticket, to the effect that he was not a candidate, and that no votes should be cast for him.

Nominations being called for they were made as follows: Judge B. N. Smith by W. J. Variel; Judge Lucian Shaw by E. A. Meserve; Judge N. P. Conrey by O. C. Mueller; G. M. Holton by H. H. Rose; Curtis D. Wilbur by H. O. Collins; Judge M. T. Allen by Will A. Harris.

Brief nominating speeches were made by each of the gentlemen named, and nominations closed at 8:10 o'clock. Balloting progressed rapidly, but the count was slow, and it was 9:30 o'clock when the tellers had completed their work. Then a snag was struck. Five of the candidates, Allen, Shaw, Smith, Wilbur and Conrey had received a majority of votes cast, and it was decided that the vote was not legal.

Referred to the convention, it was decided to proceed to a second ballot, notwithstanding the fact that the four first named had received the greatest individual number of votes. The rules were that the four candidates receiving a majority of the votes cast should be the nominees, and to avoid a repetition of the same difficulty it was moved and carried that the four receiving the highest vote on the second ballot should be declared the nominees.

By this time the convention had begun to disintegrate. Delegates were growing impatient, and the friends of candidates were disturbed at the turn affairs had taken. The word was passed down the line to boost one man and to knife another, and it was apparent that a great change had come over the assemblage.

It was nearly 11 o'clock when the chairman called for order, and announced the vote on second ballot, which was as follows: Judge Allen, 685; Judge Shaw, 657; Judge Smith, 546; Judge Conrey, 506; Curtis D. Wilbur, 469; George M. Holton, 125; total vote, 747. The two receiving the lowest vote accordingly were defeated, although Wilbur had far more than a majority of the votes cast.

Had it not been for the rule that had been recommended by the Committee on Permanent Organization, Judge Conrey would have been left off the ticket, the vote on first ballot standing as follows: Allen, 662; Shaw, 623; Smith, 557; Wilbur, 511; Conrey, 438; Holton, 150.

When the final result was announced, Mr. Wilbur, though not a delegate, moved that the nominations be made unanimous.

In explaining the blunder that caused the first ballot to be thrown out, it was shown that six candidates could have received a majority of the votes cast, and that the rule as framed was worthless so far as determining which of the six should be chosen.

HERE AND THERE.

WISPS FROM CONVENTION.

If any dark horse is smoked out during the convention it will have to be without the aid of cigars. Yesterday the convention snuffed out the smokers by adopting a resolution barring the weed in ignited form from the pavilion. The order was made in deference to the ladies present of whom there was a considerable number. Smoke may arise from the burning trails of the aspiring candidates, but not from stogies in the mouths of delegates.

Two large megaphones were called in requisition yesterday, but even they did not suffice to keep the delegates in the rear of the hall informed. What is needed is a steam siren and a code.

E. E. Bostwick declares the report that he has combined with Dow, a falsehood. He declared yesterday that he has no intention of retiring from the race for County Auditor. Many consider Bostwick's chances good.

C. F. Bayha of Gardena wanted the convention to assess the successful nominees $50 apiece, and to omit the $1 assessment per delegate. The convention could not see it that way, however. Mr. Bayha also wanted the assemblymen to go to Sacramento uninstructed.

Pasadena's delegation, minus but few of its fifty-two members, and headed by Henry Ramel, entered the hall at 10 o'clock, and marched to its seats, a majority of the delegates wearing yellow ribbons and shouting for Hartwell. There were many strange bedfellows in the bunch; push and anti-push; wets and drys; preachers and lawyers; S. B. Carr and Judge Rossiter. Some of the men from the Crown of the Valley, claimed to have swallowed up the State fight in their eagerness to land Hartwell in the Courthouse, but the glint of an axe was noted under many a vest.

OBSERVATIONS.

IN THE AISLES.

W. S. Wright of the "solid" Pasadena aggregation, put in the morning piling up votes for Strine for School Superintendent. He was assisted in his proselyting by J. D. Graham of the Pasadena schools. Both were very confident of Strine's success.

The Santa Monica delegation members seemed to be strangers to one another, and were about the only ones in the convention who seemed not to be "dealing." It was a junket for them, pure and simple.

C. S. Bayha of Glendora caused a good deal of merriment by an attempt to avert the tax of $1 a head levied on all delegates by the Committee on Resolutions. Bayha wanted to emancipate his fellow-delegates, and assess candidates $50 each. The candidates shut Bayha off, but Bayha at first refused to stay shut, and clamored for recognition, which the chair calmly refused.

Bayha said afterward that he would hold his delegation and the convention for a week before he would submit to such an "outrageous imposition" were it not that his strawberries needed irrigation, and he couldn't spare the time.

Calabasas resisted every impulse to break out into a riot, and its nook on the east side of the hall was as quiet as a grave. Calabasas was congratulated, for Calabasas has not always done this.

A row of little placards that looked like headstones in a crowded graveyard marked the place where Lancaster, Elizabeth Lake, Del Sur, La Liebre and Palmdale were tethered, with one vote each. Having nothing to trade, and being hungry, anyhow, these delegates wisely wandered out and let the convention struggle along all by itself. No one missed them for a while.

Gen. Jennison of Covina made a strenuous attempt to make the chair believe the Whittier delegation of eight could divide itself up and vote three and a half each way. Gen. Jennison is an old-timer, and got lots of applause from the crowd, but he failed to move the chair, and expressed disgust at latter-day methods.

ON THE SIDE LINES.

PEOPLE AND EPISODES.

So soon as the country delegations filed onto the floor yesterday morning action began, and lobby and floor kept busy until adjournment. Perhaps the lobby was the busiest. Defeated delegates, newspaper men and partisans of the several candidates moved up and down and chattered incessantly.

The busiest man in the convention was probably "Capt." Keller who frequented the vicinity of the water coolers on the right-hand side of the hall. "Capt." Keller worked like a Trojan, without the remotest idea of whom or what he was doing it for.

"Capt." Keller confided to a Times reporter that he didn't live here, didn't know the candidates, and didn't care a whoop who won, but he said he came here for nervous prostration, and he thought the excitement and exercise were good for him.

As a sort of honorary substitute, Sergeant-at-arms "Sani-Cult Billy" Manning held down the center aisle, and handed out miscellaneous opinions to anybody he could hold up with a "half-Nelson," or a "cross-buttock." The politicians didn't oppose Manning; he is notional, and has been known to be violent.

There was a little fracas in the Seventh Ward caucus when a newspaper man ventured in. They thought he was a dynamiter.

The "bleachers" along the side lines were full. If there had been more space for coachers they would have been there, but they were so thick as it was that the delegations in the rear of the hall had to depend on the weavy lines of Oscar Lawler's gestures to know whether he was announcing an adjournment or asking for a vote on the order of business.

The framers of the order of business and committees made a big mistake. They left off J. L. Coleman. They were sorry afterward.

Nobody knew Mr. Coleman, or the matter would doubtless have received attention sooner.

The convention thoughtlessly and gayly adopted a report appointing sergeants-at-arms, but Mr. Hawkins arose near a pillar over in the Seventh and remonstrated. In a speech full of patriotism, which the chairman was utterly unable to "squelch," Mr. Hawkins called upon heaven and earth to witness the outrage done Mr. Coleman in not appointing him a sergeant. The convention realized its faux pas and whirled in Mr. Coleman with acclaim.

Mr. Hawkins is as black as the ace of spades. Mr. Coleman couldn't be seen --probably on account of the gloom emanating from Mr. Hawkins.

Election officers of the convention were named last evening by Chairman Lawler as follows: Clerks, I. A. Lee, Oscar Nunnally, Frank White, W. H. Harrison; judges, H. A. Osgood, W. A. Wickersham, James Howard, J. H. Nieman; inspectors, Fred A. Dewey, W. A. Woodis, David Goldberg, Robert Hale. The two first-named officers in each set occupy stations at the west side of the chairman's platform, and the remainder are stationed at the east side of the platform.

Assembly and Senatorial district conventions will be held at the convention hall today as follows: Sixty-eighth Assembly District, east committee-room, at 12 o'clock noon; Seventy-first Assembly District, each committee-room at 1 o'clock p.m. Seventy-third Assembly District, west committee-room at 12 o'clock noon; Seventy-fourth Assembly District, west committee-room at 9 o'clock a.m.; Thirty-eighth Senatorial District, east committee-room at 9 o'clock a.m. The Seventy-second Assembly District convention probably will be held at noon today, and it is likely that the remainder of similar conventions will be held during the day. All announcements pertaining to these conventions, according to the rules, are to be made from the platform while the convention is in session.

BRITISH OPTICAL TRUST.

The Evident Result of the Invasion of American Opticians in Great Britain.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Aug. 5.—Interesting light can now be thrown on the recent action of the British Optical Association in deciding henceforth not to grant its certificates to Americans. This body, which was incorporated in 1895, controls the optical trade both in this country and in the colonies, and it is necessary for all strangers to obtain its certificates in order to be allowed to do business. American opticians in Great Britain have been carrying all before them of late—hence the determination to prevent future "invaders" from locating.

Of course the British Association will not admit that American opticians are to be shut out hereafter because they are regarded as such dangerous competitors. When seen yesterday, John H. Sutcliffe, secretary of the association, said: "Our certificates have been exposed to a great deal of abuse by Americans, and we mean in future to exercise more control over those who hold them, by making membership more exclusive."

The secretary said that American opticians of small repute have been in the habit of buying the association certificates from Englishmen who have gone to America, and then coming to London and going into business.

In reply to a question, Mr. Sutcliffe said: "If an American decided to take up his residence in England, or in any of the British colonies, and if he produced credentials of respectability, the council would at their discretion admit him to examination, and grant a certificate."

In the trade, however, it is understood that "the Council's discretion" will lead that body to freeze out all Americans, no matter how many credentials they may produce. The feeling among thoughtful men in the optical business is, however, that this policy is a mistaken one.

An optician of experience, who carries on a large business, declared the action of the association to be not only arbitrary, but silly. "Look at the monthly review of the body," he said, "and you will find American names associated with some of the most important discoveries in connection with optical science. You will find a paper by Mary J. Fargeman, Fergus Falls, Minnesota, on 'Psychology of Optometry,' a work on the 'Theory of Optics,' by R. Mann and R. A. Millikan, assistant professors of physics at the University of Chicago; 'The Optician's Manual,' by C. H. Brown, M. D., formerly physician in Philadelphia Hospital, etc., etc. Then we have a patent invention—a spectacle bow—by George Gordon, Chicago, and a stud attachment for rimless eyeglasses, by Charles L. Merry of Kansas City. All our best discoveries within recent years have had their origin in America or Germany. I have no desire to depreciate my own countrymen, but I am certainly opposed to the action of the association in its desire to [illegible] talent."

Men Only

DR. O. C. JOSLEN, Strictly Reliable

Much doing of a few things still. I have done very very few things.

You have heard the old saying, all trades and master of none." Apply this saying to the medical "Doctor of all diseases and master I am not a doctor of all diseases, specialist in men's diseases, and every ailment belonging to this class treated so many cases that I know what to do in every instance. The slightest doubt as to what the trouble may be. I will charge you nothing for advice or examination, and if treatments are possible, I will be glad to render them.

As I Alone Treat "Weakness"

I have conclusively demonstrated the fact that derangement of the sexual functions is a curable ailment. That there has been considerable discussion upon this point among the profession, is but an evidence that the subject has not been thoroughly understood and has been unscientifically treated. Being commonly regarded as a nervous disorder, it has never yielded when treated by this theory. I have ascertained by the closest observation in diagnosis that only in rare instances is the general constitution or nervous system affected to any noticeable degree whatever, and that "weakness" in all its forms is but a symptom of nervous disorder. In by far the greater number of cases sexual derangement is due to a single cause, a chronically inflamed condition of the prostate gland, brought on by early dissipation or lingering as a result of improperly-treated contracted disorder. Such cases may show temporary improvement under stimulating processes of treatment, but ultimate relapses invariably follow all such methods. The only radical cure is the absolute removal of the abnormal condition responsible for the functional disorder, and this I accomplish through carefully-directed local measures. My treatment is entirely distinctive and original. No other physician employs like methods, or attains like success in curing. The results I obtain are thorough and lasting, and lost manhood and vigor are restored in the full and normal degree.

Stricture.

My treatment for stricture removes the necessity for surgical operations, even in severe cases of long standing. I do no cutting or dilating. No other physician employs my methods of overcoming this disorder, so the service I offer you is original and distinctive. Do not give up hope because others have failed. I will cure you and the cure will be a prompt and painless one. My treatment dissolves the stricture and permanently removes every obstruction from the urinary passage, subdues all inflammation, relieves all irritation or congestion that may exist in the kidneys or bladder, reduces enlargement of the prostate gland and restores health and tone to all organs affected by the disease.

Contracted Disorders

In no other ailment is a prompt and thorough cure essential. Contracted cases allowed to work backward until the vital nerve centers become involved in the inflammation. The result is the chronic stage that defies the skill of all ordinary treatment. Such cases demands that every vestige of the disease be eradicated at the earliest possible moment. My treatment is quick and thorough. I have a more positive remedy than has ever before been offered, and so perfect is my method of application that even chronic cases are cured completely.

Varicocele Cured Without Cutting

I guarantee to cure varicocele in one week by a method that requires no cutting nor the use of fiery caustic. No other physician employs a method so painless and so thorough is my work that there need not be the slightest danger of relapse into the old condition. Those who have been long afflicted with this disease will never realize the injury it has caused until they feel the vim, vigor and buoyancy of spirits that a complete cure will bring.

My colored chart will be mailed free, and you can also consult me by letter if you cannot call in person. My office is located

Corner Third and Main Sts.

DR. O. C. JOSLEN

GLADSOME RITES CHEER KNIGHTS

HOSPITALITY and good cheer dispensed ad libitum by the local Knights of Pythias gladdened the hearts of about 1500 of their brothers who arrived in Los Angeles from the North yesterday. There are now about 3500 of the visiting Pythians in the city and more are to come from San Francisco; but so well did the local reception committee make its plans that all are enjoying themselves without any unnecessary work or worry about arrangements.

The first train bringing the Knights arrived early in the afternoon at the Arcade Depot yesterday in two sections, each one carrying about 300 people. These were met by the Committee on Railroads and escorted to their hotels, and then they were whisked over to the reception-rooms at the Chamber of Commerce, where they found the hearty welcome that has made those who came before them wonder what kind of a State California is, so frosty at one end and so melting at the other.

The piece de resistance in the general feast of enjoyment which was prepared for the Knights yesterday was the excursion to Catalina. Yesday's trip was intended to relieve the heavy travel that was expected on Friday, when the programmed excursion to Catalina was to be made, but it was of such proportions that it could hardly be called secondury to anything.

All of the tickets provided for headquarters at the Chamber of Commerce were sold out early Monday evening, and a large number who wanted to make the trip were obliged to defer the journey until a later day. Every boat that left San Pedro was crowded to the rails and most of the passengers were uniformed Knights. Over 500 crossed the channel for a day's outing at Avalon and a majority of these were persons to whom a ride on the briny deep was a very great novelty.

In charge of this party was Maj. Ihrig of the First Battalion, Third California Regiment. Over 100 Knights of Khorassan, by invitation of the [illegible] joined the larger [illegible] brothers in perhaps [illegible] able day that the [illegible] on their journey from [illegible]

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This evening the Chamber of Commerce, assisted by Knights [illegible] and near Los Angeles, will [illegible] reception to the Imperial Chamber of Commerce.

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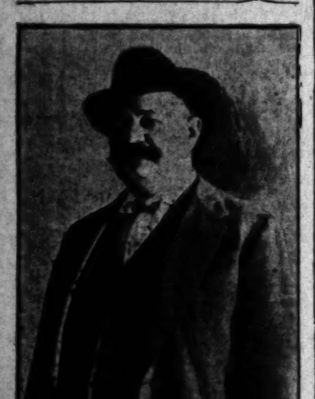

THE BOSS OF THE GAGE WORKS.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST

BUSINESS.

ANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

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RAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

-FRUIT SHIPMENTS. Shipments of citrus fruits from Southern [illegible] on Monday were 5 carloads, [illegible] oranges, and 1 of lemons. The [illegible] the season, November 1, 1901, [illegible] is 14,889 carloads, of which [illegible] lemons.

LAND VALUES. The census [illegible] farm land values in 1900 [illegible] increase of 28.4 per cent. [illegible] Nearly all of this increase [illegible] ed from the North Central [illegible] Central divisions. The total [illegible] farm property in the North [illegible] division decreased $19,258,665. [illegible] were nearly four times as [illegible] as in 1850, and 25.7 per [illegible] than in 1890. Since 1890 [illegible] acreage has increased more [illegible] than the number of farms, so [illegible] erage size of farms has in- [illegible] A comparison of States indi- [illegible] the most important States [illegible] riculture of the country are, [illegible] at the West, Missouri, Iowa, [illegible] Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania [illegible] York. Together these States [illegible] 44.7 per cent. of the total [illegible] farm property and 38.9 per [illegible] the total value of farm products.

PAPER FIGHT. Discussing [illegible] of a combination of wall paper [illegible] facturers, a New York manufacturer recently said: [illegible] ble trouble lies with the manufacturers [illegible] The cutting of prices for [illegible] ther was a stone that rebounded [illegible] and it has proved a boomerang [illegible] has ruined many of them. [illegible] nes of the small manufacturers [illegible] re not large, rents, water [illegible] didn't eat him up, and when [illegible] ne came, he came down to [illegible] on prices and continued to [illegible] n the big concerns were [illegible] to close. Failures and voluntary [illegible] uidations followed the cut, [illegible] the output is 30,000,000 rolls [illegible] it was a year ago. The factory [illegible] paper at a loss, credit on [illegible] ch formerly used to get four [illegible] ust now pay cash in thirty [illegible]

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COMMERCIAL.

RICE IN ALMONDS. A special from New York Commercial last week from San Francisco says five firms in that city have entered which deal in almonds and rice, known as the "Big Five" among the trade, are cornering the California rice crop and have got control of all except 5000 sacks which are in northern hands. They are now going after the rice in that part of the State, as they must have it in order to accommodate their customers in foreign countries and California dealers say about all the almonds consumed in the United States, California raising about one-half the entire crop. When the Mediterranean crop is short the demand for California almonds naturally increases. This year the Mediterranean countries yielded about one-third of the usual crop. The "Big Five" got wind early of the shortage and so set out to corner the rice in America. They have bought up the stocks raised in the southern part of the State and have paid for them as high as 10¾ cents a pound. Those lucky enough still to hold rice have come to drive a good bargain, as they force the "Big Five" to pay 11 cents or possibly 15 cents. Not long ago under similar conditions the "Big Five" raised their offering price from 6 cents to 15 cents a pound.

ENGLAND WEED. Eleven counties are ripe for New England tobacco harvest, and there is every indication of a bountiful crop. The weather under cultivation this year is ahead of 1901 by about 15 per cent, and there early in the day. The majority of those who had made arrangements to go, and to Catalina instead.

The last arrival from the two-section train over the Santa Fe, carrying about eight hundred. This train pulled into Argentine after 11 o'clock last night, and the visitors went at once to the hotels. It was expected that some of the members of the Supreme Lodge would arrive by this train, but they are still in San Francisco, and will certain that they will have to remain there before the close of the week.

Over a hundred Knights accepted the invitation extended by Los Angeles Lodge, No. 183, which met at Castle last night, and entertained by their local brethren. Today all of the Knights of Pythias will go down to Redondo. The local committee has arranged for at least three thousand Knights who want to visit the city, and will accommodate the big crowd. Arrangements are made on a suitable scale to entertain the road companies. The Los Angeles lodge of Pythians will assist the Committee on Entertainment during the day the biggest attraction will be the most enjoyable that the visitors have experienced.

This evening the Chamber of Commerce, assisted by Knights of Pythias and near Los Angeles, will tender a reception to the Imperial Potentate. The Chamber of Commerce rooms will be thrown open, and the excursion scheduled to arrive in Los Angeles over the Santa Fe road is one around the world. The train is now on the Santa Fe track, and tomorrow evening the Three Graces and Three Sisters will keep open house for the Knights of the Khorassan and the officers of the Uniformed Rank.

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"There are still enough factories to furnish all the goods wanted, and with the general trade conditions in all other lines there is no reason why the wall paper business should be in its present state. The manufacturers are to blame, and the only solution that I can see is to form a combination of the factories, a consolidation of interests, or a pool of the entire wall paper manufacturing business of the United States and put the prices back where a reasonable profit can be made."

The buyers who, by the way, are reaping the benefit of the fight between the manufacturers are in rare good humor. One of them when questioned replied: "This is the first time wall paper has been squeezed to the wall by the manufacturer. We have no kick coming and don't want to see any merger of the factories."

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

No quotable change exists in the produce market over the first day in the week. Everything is plentiful, generally speaking, and the demand is excellent for midsummer.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

BUTTER—Fancy Board of Trade creamery, per square, 20; southern creamery, 19@20½; dairy, 18@22½; Coast creamery, 25.

EGGS—Per doz., fresh ranch, 24@27; northern, 20@21; cold storage, 22.

CHEESE—California, anchor, per lb., 14½; California, Young America, per lb., 15½; California, 3-lb. hand, per lb., 16½; Coast, full cream, per lb., 12½@13½; domestic Swiss, per lb., 17@17½; imported Swiss, per lb., 37; Edam, fancy, per doz., 8.50; Martin's New York cream, per lb., 15@15½; Wisconsin, full cream, per lb., 15; Marsw, 15@15½.

Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Per ctl., Early Rose, 90; Burbank, 1.00@1.10; Snowflakes, 75@85.

ONIONS—Silverskin, 65; Danvers, 50@60.

VEGETABLES—Beets, per ctwt., 50@75; cabbage, 1.00@1.25; carrots, 50@60 per ctwt.; green chiles, 2@4 per lb.; dry chiles, per string, 60@65; lettuce, per doz., 10@20; parsnips, 1.25@1.50 per ctwt.; green peas, 2@3; radishes, per doz., 10@15; string beans, 2½@3; turnips, 75@75 per ctwt.; garlic, 4@5; tomatoes, per box, 40@60; cucumbers, per box, 25@30; summer squash, per box, 30@35; corn, per sack, 75@1.00.

BEANS—Pink, per ctwt., 2.60@2.75; Lima, Washington, 3.00@3.10; small white, 2.10@2.15; Limas, 4.00@4.50; Garvanzas, 3.75; field peas, 2.50; lentils, 7.00@7.50.

Sugar.

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks, 2lbs. cost 10c; 1 bbls. 25c, and boxes 50c per 100 lbs. more. All prices are net cash. Beet sugar, 4.12½; cane sugar, 4.22½; cube, 4.75; powdered, 4.60; confectioners' A, 4.50; Extra C, 4.00; Golden C, 3.90; D, 3.80.

Dried Fruits, Nuts, Raisins.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, choice to fancy, 12@12½; apricots, 7@7½; peaches, fancy, 6@8; choice, 7½; pears, fancy evaporated, 6½@8; plums, pitted, choice, 7½@8; prunes, choice, 5½@6; fancy, 6½@8; dates, 5@7; figs, sacks, California, white, per lb., 6@7; California, black, per lb., 5@6; California, fancy layers, per lb., 6@7½; imported Smyrna, 8.

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 2.60; London Layers, per box, 1.00@2.00; loose, 6½@7 per lb.; Seedless Sultanas, 6½@7½.

NUTS — Almonds, paper-shell, 14; softshell, 13@13½; hardshell, 10@11; Brazils, 11; filberts, 12@12; peanuts, raw, eastern, 6½; roasted, 8½; California, choice raw, 6@6½; California, fancy raw, 8½; California, roasted, 7@7½; walnuts, softshell, first grade, 12½; hardshell, first grade, 9½@10; pinenuts, New Mexico, 7.

Fresh Fruits and Berries.

LEMONS—Per box, choice to fancy, 2.50@3.50; green, 1.00@1.50.

ORANGES—Valencias, 2.50@3.50.

LIMES—Per 100, 1.50.

COCOANUTS—Per doz., 50@1.00.

PINEAPPLES—Per doz., 4.00@5.00.

GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, 1.25@1.75.

STRAWBERRIES—Per box common, 40@50; fancy, 75.

RASPBERRIES—Per crate, 1.00@1.20.

BLACKBERRIES—Per lb., 07½.

APRICOTS—Royal, bulk, per lb., 1@2.

WATERMELONS—Per doz., 50@1.50.

NUTMEG MELONS—Per crate, 40@1.50.

PEACHES—Per lb., 1½@2.

FIGS—Per box, 25@50.

PRUNES—Per box, 40@60.

APPLES—Per box, 1.00@1.25.

PEARS—Bartletts, per box, 1.00@1.25.

NECTARINES—Per lb., 1½@2.

Honey and Beeswax.

BEESWAX—Per lb., 30.

HONEY—Per lb., in comb, frames, 12@13; extracted, 5@7.

Flour and Feedstuffs.

FLOUR—Per bbl., local extra roller process, 4.00@4.60; northern, 3.85; eastern, Pillsbury's Best, 5.75; lower grades, 3.75@4.50; Cereosota, 4.75; graham flour, 2.00 per 100 lbs.

ROLLED BARLEY—80.

CRACKED CORN—1.55.

BRAN—1.10.

Live Stock.

HOGS—Per cwt., 6.50@7.00.

CATTLE—Per cwt., 4.00@4.50 for prime steers; 3.50@4.50 for cows and heifers; calves, 4.00@6.00.

SHEEP—Per head, wethers, 4.25@4.50; ewes, 3.50@4.00; lambs, 3.00@3.50.

Provisions.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 16; Gilbert, 12½; picnic, 9@11; Winchester, medium, 15½; do., light, 13½; Premium, 16½; skinned, 17; 40's, 13½; Gold Band, 13.

DRY SALT PORK — Per lb., clear bellies, 12½@13½; short clears, 11½@12½; clear backs, 11½@12½.

DRIED BEEF—Per lb., insides, 11½@12½.

PICKLED PORK—Per bbl., Sunderland, 24.00.

BACON — Per lb., Rex breakfast, 16½; mild cured, do., 12½; special fancy, 16½; bacon backs, 13; Winchester medium, 16½; light, 17; Empire, 18; Premium, 15½; 40's, medium, 16½ @17½; light, 18; Gold Band, 19½.

LARD — Pure, per lb., Silver Leaf, tierces, 13½; 50-lb. tins, 13½; 10s, 14½; 5s, 14½; 2s, 14½; Rex, tierces, 12½; 50s, 13½; 10s, 13½; 5s, 13½; 2s, 14; White Label, tierces, 13½; 50s, 13½; 10s, 14½; 5s, 14½; 2s, 14½; pure lard, tcs. has., 12½@13.

Poultry.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition: 10@13 per lb. for poultry; ducks, 10@13; for turkeys, 15@17; geese, 11@12.

Fresh Meats.

BEEF—Per lb., 7@7½.

VEAL—8@10.

MUTTON—Per lb., 7½@8½; lamb, 9.

PORK—Per lb., 9½.

Hay and Grain.

BARLEY—Mill price, 90.

OATS—Jobbing price, 1.35.

CORN—1.80.

HAY—New barley, 7.00@8.50; alfalfa, 7.00@9.00.

WHEAT—Mill price, per cental, 1.12½@1.20.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—There were more shares of stock sold on the exchange today than yesterday, dealings rising again over the half-million mark. The market took on a fair appearance of average strength, but an analysis will show that the gains in the majority of equally active stocks are fractional, while the really striking gains are confined to a few spots in the market. Dealings were largely in professional hands, and were supposed to reflect the operations of speculative pools, including some of the prominent capitalists of the country. The situation of affairs was not materially changed from that of yesterday on the approaching return to New York of J. P. Morgan, which has caused a renewal of many long-current rumors of financial projects and railroad deals which are supposed to await his action to be put into force. The most prominent of these in its effect upon speculation is the formulation of a plan for control of Louisville and Nashville. There seems a fairly general agreement that this plan will take the form of a guarantee of a dividend on Louisville and Nashville, commonly supposed to have been fixed at 7 per cent. The movement led by Louisville made itself felt in other southern stocks, notably Illinois Central, Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis, Norfolk and Western and Chesapeake and Ohio, which were all supposed to derive some benefit from this cause, although the advance in Pennsylvania and Baltimore and Ohio pointed to speculation on the soft-coal traffic. A settlement of the coal strike and a decision on the question of the presidency of the United States Steel Corporation are also supposed to await Morgan's action. The upward movement in Southern Pacific was aggressively renewed today for the first time since the announcement of the proposed $100,000 mortgage to provide funds for betterment. This movement was also associated with the homeward-bound movement of a well-known speculative leader, who has operated largely in it in the past. Canadian Pacific and its subsidiary companies form another center which radiated strength, and the gossip to account for the rise pointed to efforts by that company to secure an entrance into Chicago. The strength of Wisconsin Central and of the Chicago Terminal stocks seemed due to the same rumor. There were various other points of strength in the market, but all seemed equally due to special causes. The money market was not appreciably easier, although there was less tendency to flurry than yesterday. The rate for call loans was well-sustained, however, at about 4% per cent. for the largest part of the loans. The recent rapid downward course of foreign exchange was arrested, and there was a tendency to recovery in that market. Some selling of stocks here for London account was a factor in the firmer exchange market. It became known today that $500,000 in gold was shipped out of the country yesterday to Buenos Ayres, supposed to be for the purpose of moving the crops there. A violent break of six points in Colorado Fuel and Iron followed a suggestion that the struggle for control might throw it into the hands of a receiver. The stock rallied 3%. The market closed dull and irregular. Liquidation in Central-of-Georgia income bonds was continued, and made the bond market irregular. Total sales, par value, $1,925,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on the last call.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

Atchison	82½	Southern Pacific	73¼
Atchison pfd	102¾	So. Railway	40½
Baltimore & Ohio	100¾	so. Railway pfd	97½
B. & O. pfd	93	Texas & Pacific	31¾
Canadian Pac	137½	T. St. L. & W.	24½
Canada Southern	80½	T. St. L. pfd	46½
Ches. & Ohio	54¾	Union Pacific	100
Chicago & Alton	36½	Union Pac. pfd	92
C. & Alton pfd	76½	Wabash	22¾
C., I. & L.	25	Wabash pfd	43½
C., I. & L. pfd	75	W. & L. E.	24¾
C. & E. Illinois	213	W. & L. E. 1st pfd	87
Chicago & G. W.	14¾	Wis. Central	20¾
C. & G. W. "A"	89½	Wis. Cen. pfd	54
C. & G. W. pfd	37½	Express Co's—	
Chicago & N. W.	225	Adams	310
C., R. I. & P.	152¾	American	250
Chicago Ter	23½	United States	134
Chicago Ter pfd	61¾	Wells-Fargo	230
C. C. C. & St. L.	103	Miscellaneous—	
Colo. Southern	34	Amal. Copper	62¾
Colo. So. 1st pfd	73	Am. Car & F.	34
Colo. So. 2d pfd	52	Am. C. & F. pfd	92¼
Del. & Hudson	180	Am. Linseed Oil	25¼
Denver & R. G.	40½	Am. Lin. Oil pfd	50
D. & R. G. pfd	89½	Am. S. & R.	44½
Erie	39¾	Am. S. & R. pfd	97¾
Erie 1st pfd	69	Anaconda M. Co.	102
Erie 2d pfd	53½	Brooklyn R. T.	69¾
Great N. pfd	193	Colo. Fuel & I.	37½
Hocking Valley	101¾	Con. Gas	222¾
Hock. Val. pfd	94	Cont'l Tob. pfd	123¼
Illinois Central	140¼	Gen. Electric	169¾
Iowa Central	50	Hocking Coal	19¾
Iowa Cen. pfd	87¼	Int'l Paper	21¾
Lake Erie & W.	45	Int'l Paper pfd	74½
L. E. & W. pfd	120	Int'l Power	43½
Louis. & Nash.	134¾	Laclede Gas	85
Manhattan L.	135¾	Nat'l Biscuit	47¾
Met. St. Ry.	167¼	Nat'l Lead	22¾
Mexican Central	23½	no Amer. Can.	6¾
Mexican Nat'l	13½	Pacific Coast	75½
Minn. & St. L.	113¾	Pacific Mail	43¾
Missouri Pacific	117¾	People's Gas	104¾
M. K. & Texas	32	P. Steel Car	46¾
M. K. & T. pfd	64¾	P. S. Car pfd	85½
N. J. Central	184	Pull. Palace Car	210
N. Y. Central	163½	Republic Steel	19
Norfolk & W.	70	Rep. Steel pfd	79¾
N. & W. pfd	90	Sugar	132¾
Ontario & W.	34¾	Tenn. Coal & I.	83
Pennsylvania	160	Union Bag & P.	14¾
Reading	68¾	Union Bag & P. pfd	79½
Reading 1st pfd	78¾	U. S. Leather	13
Reading 2d pfd	73	U. S. L. pfd	86¾
St. Louis & S. F.	30¾	U. S. Rubber	16
St. L. 1st pfd	80	U. S. R. pfd	55
St. L. 2d pfd	74¾	U. S. Steel	40¾
St. Louis, S. W.	28¾	U. S. Steel pfd	93
St. L. S. W. pfd	71¾	Western Union	92¾
St. Paul	155½	Am. Ice Co.	22
St. Paul pfd	192¾	Am. Ice Co. pfd	80¾
		K. C. Southern	26¾
		K. C. So. pfd	59¾

Bond List.

U. S. R. 2s reg.	107½	Hock. Val. 4½s	109¾
U. S. R. 2s coup.	107½	L. & N. Un. 4s	101¾
U. S. R. 3s reg.	107½	Mex. Cen. 4s	87¾
U. S. R. 3s coup.	107¾	Mex. C. 1st Inc.	31¾
U. S. R. 4s reg.	132½	M. & St. L. 4s	106
U. S. R. 4s coup.	132¾	M., K. & T. 4s	100
U. S. old 4s reg.	109¾	M., K. & T. 2d 4s	84½
U. S. old 4s coup.	109¾	N. Y. C. lst 4s	101¾
U. S. 5s reg.	104½	N. Y. C. G. 3½s	107
U. S. 5s coup.	104¾	N. J. C. Gen. 5s	136
D. C. 3.65s	120	N. P. 3s	74¾
Atchison, Adj. 4s	90¾	N. P. 4s	104¾
B. & O. 4s	108¾	N. & W. Con. 4s	101¾
B. & O. Ple.	108	Reading Gen. 4s	85¾
B. & O. Conv. 4s	112	St. L. & S. F. G. 4s	111¾
Can. So. 2ds	110¾	St. L. & S. F. 4s	95¾
Con. of Ga. 5s	119¾	St. L. & S. W. 1st 4s	99½
C. of Ga. 1st Inc.	72¾	St. L. & S. W. 2d 4s	80½
C. & O. 4½s	108¾	S. A. & A. P. 4s	88
C. & A. 3½s	82	So. Pacific 4s	91
C. & E. I. G. 4s	83	So. Railway 5s	121¾
C. M. & St. P. 4s	113	So. Railway 6s	107
C. & N. W. 7s	134	Union Pacific 4s	83½
C., R. I. & P. 4s	104¾	U. P. Conv. 4s	104¾
C., C., C. & St. L.	103	Wabash 1sts	109¾
Chicago Ter. 4s	90	Wabash 2ds	110¾
Colo. & So. 4s	94¾	Wabash Deb. B.	39
D. & R. G. 4s	101½	West Shore 4s	112
Erie prior lien 4s	99¾	W. & L. E. 4s	114¾
Erie Gen. 4s	86¾	Wis. Cen. 4s	96
Fort Worth 1sts	114	Cont'l Tob. 6s	69¾

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		U. S. Steel pfd	89¾
Call loans	2½@4½	Mining—	
Time loans	4½@5	Adventure	22
Bonds—		Mohawk	57
Atchison 4s	102	Old Dominion	16
Gas 1st	98	Osceola	55
Mex. Cen. 4s	82	Parrot	26
N. E. G. & C.	66¾	Quincy	125
Railroads—		Santa Fe Copper	18
Atchison	82¼	Tamarack	200
Atchison pfd	102¾	Trimountain	54
Boston & Albany	262	Trinity	11¼
Boston & Maine	200	United States	30¾
Boston Elevated	152	Utah	20¾
N. Y. N. H. & H.	223½	Victoria	5¾
Fitchburg pfd	144	Winona	2
Union Pacific	100¾	Wolverine	97½
Mexican Central	23½	United Copper	34¼
Miscellaneous—			
Am. Sugar	132		
Am. Sugar pfd	130		
Am. Tel.	170		
Dom. I. & S.	73½		
Gen. Electric	184½		
Mass. Electric	46		
Mass. Electric pfd	97½		
N. E. G. & C.	54		
U. S. Steel	40¾		

London Financial Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—The Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram says: "Stocks were irregular today, but the tone was generally satisfactory. Americans opened firmer, with the advance in Union Pacific, the close being buoyant. The coal stocks were supported on the belief that the return of J. P. Morgan means the end of the coal strike. The Southern Railway stocks were also a feature, under the head of aggressive strength of Louisville and Nashville, which was bid up $3 a share. London bought Erie, Reading and Southern Pacific. United States Steel was not affected by rumors of President Schwab's retirement from the head of that corporation. Paris advanced Rio Tintos to 45¾.

New York Money.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Close—Money on call, firm at 3½@4½ per cent.; closing bid and asked, 3@3½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.87 for demand and at 4.84.30 for sixty days. Posted rates, 4.85@4.85½ and 4.87½@4.88. Commercial bills, 4.84¾@4.85. Bar silver, 53¾. Mexican dollars, 41¼. Bonds, government, steady; State, easier; railroad bonds, irregular.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the Division of Redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $204,905,748; gold, $185,321,664.

London Silver.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Consols, 86⅛; silver, 26 3-16d.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Strong Northwestern markets had much to do with the upturn in wheat. Rains in Manitoba and the Northwest made shorts nervous over the spring harvest situation. There was also fear of the manipulators, and at the start there was a good spurt. September opened ¼ to ⅝ to ¾ to ⅞ to 1c up, at 69¾@69⅞, and sold to 70c. The early demand soon fell off, and trade grew somewhat dull. Bulls, however, soon started up the argument of very little contract wheat and extremely poor grading. A good cash demand sprang up, and clearances at the seaboard were heavy. September, which had dipped to 69¼@69⅜, on lagging trade, rallied and closed strong, 1 to 1¼ up, at 70⅜. Cables were firm. Corn started strong on the weather and the wheat advance. Trade was inclined toward dullness. The market was fairly strong all day. September closed firm, ⅝ to ¾ up, at 51⅝@53c. Oats had fallen off in supply here until today. Contract stocks were only 115,000. Receipts were good, but contract grading was retarded by the weather and prices advanced. September closed ⅝ to ¾c higher, at 33⅝. Provisions were dull, but firm. September pork closed 7½c up; lard 30c higher, and ribs 2½c up.

The leading futures closed as follows:

	Closing.
Wheat, No. 2—	
September	70¾
December	66¼@67
May	69¼
Corn, No. 2—	
September	51⅝@52¼
December	41¾@41¾
May	39¾
Oats, No. 2—	
September (old)	36¾
September (new)	32¾
December	28¼
May	31¾@32

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was easy; No. 2 spring wheat, 72; No. 3 spring, 69¼; No. 2 red, 69¼@70½; No. 2 oats, 32¼@33; No. 3 white, 32¾@33; No. 2 rye, 50½@51; fair to choice malting barley, 55@61; No. 1 flax seed, 1.37; No. 1 northwestern, 1.44; mess pork, per bbl., 15.55@16.00; lard, per 100 lbs., 11.30@10.35; short ribs, sides (loose), 9.50@9.75; dry salted shoulders (boxed), 8¾@8¾; short clear sides (boxed), 10¾@10¾; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.31; clover, contract grade, 8.00.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	35,000	7,000
Wheat, bushels	261,000	92,000
Corn, "	59,000	22,000
Oats, "	351,000	227,000
Rye, "	19,000	
Barley, "	19,000	

On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was weak; creamery, 15@19; dairy, 13¾@18; cheese, steady, 10@11. Eggs, steady; fresh, 17½.

Closing Figures.

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Close: Wheat—September, 70¾; December, 66¾@67; May, 69¼. Corn—September, 51⅝@52; December, 41¾@41¾. Oats—August, 33¾; new, 33¾; September, 29¾; new, 32¾. Barley, 35@43.

New York General Markets.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Flour—Receipts, 26,300 barrels; exports 7715 barrels; market irregular, and generally depressed by new flour offerings. Wheat, receipts 109,200 bushels; exports, 64,342 bushels. Spot firm; No. 2 red, 73, elevator; No. 2, 74¼@74⅝, f. o. b. afloat. It was an irregular day in wheat. The market opened firm on rains and higher cables, weakened under liquidation, and then had a second advance, following corn. Closed firm at ⅛ to ⅜ net advance, May closed 74⅛; September, 73⅝; December, 72⅛. Hops steady. Petroleum steady. Hides steady. Wool quiet. Coffee—Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice, 5¾; mild firm; Cordova, 8@11¾. Sugar raw, steady. Fair refining, 3⅞; centrifugal, 96 test, 3¾; molasses sugar, 3¾; refined steady.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—All metal markets were quiet today, and so far as local prices were concerned, there were no changes noted. Demand for tin was dull, and spot was quoted at yesterday's figure of 28.00@28.50. The foreign price was raised 5s, closing spot at £127 12s, and futures at £123 12s 6d. Copper was just as dull. Standard spot closed at 10.90@11.35; lake, 11.50@11.70; casting, 11.40 @11.50. London improved 2s 9d, closing with spot at £51 13s 9d, and futures at £52. Lead ruled quiet and steady at 4¼. London advanced 1s 3d to £11 2s 9d. Spelter abroad gained 2s 6d and closed at £15 5s for spot. The local price remained firm at 5.45. The foreign iron markets reported slight gains. Warrants were nominal.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—There is little change in the market for evaporated apples, and values are nominally maintained at recent figures. Common to good are quoted at 3@3½; prime, 3¾@4; choice, 4½@4¾; fancy, 4¾@5. Future prunes are fairly active and steady, with October shipments of Santa Claras quoted from the coast at around 2¾ cents on the four-size basis. Spot prunes are firm under good export demand, prices ranging from 3¾ to 7. Apricots are quiet and a shade easier on some descriptions, though the price range remains unchanged at 7@9½ in boxes and 6¾@7¾ in bags. Peaches, pealed, 13@18; unpeeled, 5½@10.

Available Supplies.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Special telegraphic and cable communications received by Bradstreet's show the following changes in available supplies, compared with last accounts: Wheat, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decreased 941,000 bushels; afloat for and in Europe, increased 1,300,000 bushels; total supply increased 359,000 bushels. Corn, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decreased 1,145,000 bushels. Oats, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increased 181,000 bushels.

Boston Wool Market.

BOSTON, Aug. 19.—The wool market is very firm, with prices gradually improving, but with trading a trifle easier. Good sales in Territory wool continue at the following rates: Fine staple, 30@36; strictly fine, 34@ 37; fine and fine medium, 32@35; medium, 30 @32. Fine fleece wools are higher, but offerings are small. Australian wools are in small supply, with the market very firm.

New York Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Coffee futures closed steady, 25 to 30 points higher; total sales, 76,600 bags, including August, 4.80@5.55; September, 4.90@5.15; October, 5.85@6.10; November, 5.10@5.35; December, 5.05@5.25; January, 5.15@ 5.20; March, 5.20@5.40; May, 5.30@5.35; June, 5.40; July, 5.30@5.60.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Butter—Receipts, 3000; barely steady; creamery, limitations, 21 @17½; factory, 14@16. Eggs—Receipts, 12,000 packages; steady; State and Pennsylvania, 20@20½; western candled, 17½@19; western, uncandled, 15@17½.

New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3⅞; centrifugal, 96 test, 3¾; molasses sugar, 3⅜; refined firm; crushed, 5.15; powdered, 4.75; granulated, 4.65.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 19.—The cotton market opened quiet and steady, with prices two points lower to one point higher, and closed steady, with prices 4 to 5 points higher.

Northwestern Wheat.

PORTLAND (Or.) Aug. 19.—Wheat, nominal. Walla Walla, 60@61; blue stem, 63@64; valley, 65@66.

TACOMA (Wash.) Aug. 19. — Wheat, quiet, unchanged. Blue stem, 62; club, 60.

Hops at London.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Hops steady; Pacific Coast, £2@£7.

Oil Transactions.

OIL CITY (Pa.) Aug. 19.—Credit balances, 1.22; certificates, no bid.

Liverpool Cotton.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 19.—Cotton, uplands, 4¾d.

Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 19.—Close: Wheat, September, 11⅝d.

LIVE-STOCK MARKETS.

DENVER CLOSING FIGURES.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

DENVER (Colo.) Aug. 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 1250; steady; beef steers, 4.00@5.00; cows, 2.50 @4.00; feeders, freight paid to river, 3.75@ 4.75; stockers, 3.50@4.50; bulls, stags, etc., 1.50 @3.00. Hogs—Receipts, 100; steady; light packers, 6.55@6.80; mixed, 6.65@6.75; heavy, 6.65@6.80. No sheep.

Chicago Live-stock Market.

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 6000; slow; good to prime steers, 7.80@8.60; poor to medium, 4.25@7.60; stockers and feeders, 3.10@5.35; cows, 1.50@5.75; heifers, 2.50@6.60; canners, 1.50@2.90; bulls, 2.25@5.25; calves, 2.50@7.00; Texas-fed steers, 3.00@5.00; western steers, 3.50@4.40. Hogs—Receipts today, 14,000; tomorrow, 25,000; left over, 1000; 5@10c higher; mixed and butchers', 6.30@7.00; good to choice heavy, 6.70@7.15; rough heavy, 6.00@ 6.80; light, 6.35@7.00; bulk of sales, 6.50@6.90. Sheep—Receipts, 21,000; sheep lower; lambs, steady to strong; good to choice wethers, 3.75@ 4.35; fair to choice mixed, 2.50@3.75; western sheep, 3.50@4.00; native lambs, 3.50@4.30; western lambs, 4.30, top.

Kansas City Live-stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 18,000, including 5000 Texans; best steady; others lower; native steers, 5.75@6.30; Texas and Indian steers, 3.20@4.20; Texas cows, 2.00 @3.00; native cows and heifers, 1.50@5.00; stockers and feeders, 3.25@5.00; bulls, 2.00@ 2.75; calves, 3.00@6.00. Hogs—Receipts, 7000; market strong to 5c higher; bulk of sales, 6.75@6.85; heavy, 6.80@7.05; packers, 6.75@6.90; medium, 6.80@6.95; light, 6.90@6.75; Yorkers, 6.70@6.75; pigs, 6.25@6.55. Sheep—Receipts, 7000; market weak to 10c lower; muttons, 3.40 @4.25; lambs, 3.70@5.90; range wethers, 3.10@ 4.25; ewes, 3.25@4.15.

South Omaha Live-stock Market.

SOUTH OMAHA, Aug. 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 7000; market steady and active; native steers, 7.40@8.25; cows and heifers, 3.25@6.00; western steers, 4.00@6.50; Texas steers, 3.50@4.40; cows and heifers, 2.50@4.40; canners, 1.75@3.00; stockers and feeders, 3.75@5.10; calves, 3.50@ 8.50; bulls, stags, etc., 2.25@4.75. Hogs—Receipts, 7500; market 5@10c higher; heavy, 6.60 @6.80; mixed, 6.70@6.75; light, 6.75@6.85; pigs, 6.00@6.60; bulk of sales, 6.70@6.75. Sheep—Receipts, 1700; market active and steady; fed muttons, yearlings, 3.40@4.00; wethers, 3.00@3.55; ewes, 2.75@3.40; common and stockers, 2.00@2.90; lambs, 3.50@5.00.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—Wheat and barley steady; oats firm; hay quiet; bran and middlings quiet, but steady; beans steady; choice dairy products steady; peaches and Bartlett pears weak; apples easy; cantaloupes and nutmeg melons weak; blackberries weaker; other berries unchanged; Mexican limes higher; potatoes and onions weak; choice poultry steady.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—Flour—Net cash prices for family extras, 3.60@3.75 per bbl.; bakers, 3.

San Bernardino, Riverside and Orange Counties.

NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.

SANTA ANA.

SUGAR BEET HARVEST.

SANTA ANA, Aug. 19.—The harvesting of sugar beets in this county is in full swing and the demand for labor in the western portion is brisk, although the supply, so far, has been equal to emergencies. In the peatlands, south of Bolsa, the beet business has worked a great reformation during the past year. It was discovered only two years ago that the peatland country is splendid for sugar-beet culture, and now the farmers have brighter prospects than ever before. From this section alone eight to ten carloads of beets are shipped daily to Chino, and this number will be considerably increased within the next few weeks. The saccharine showing made by the beets already shipped is excellent.

TELEPHONE SCRAP.

C. F. Guthridge of Los Angeles has asked the city for a franchise to operate a telephone system in competition with the Sunset Telegraph and Telephone Company, and the old company is endeavoring to shut out the new. The old company has no franchise, operating simply on a permit, and this the company prefers rather than the city to advertise a franchise for sale, which action would give the new company an opportunity to come into the bidding. During a rather strenuous discussion by the City Trustees last night, the new company withdrew its application for a franchise, but subsequently submitted it again with a few alterations. The status now is just as it was several weeks ago, when the new company made its first application.

SANTA ANA BREVITIES.

E. J. Benedict of Frankfort, Kan., is here visiting his mother.

Miss Fern Taylor is entertaining Miss Nona Claridge of Los Angeles.

Dr. E. D. B. Newton is the guest of friends at Redlands.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Whitson and Miss Jessie Mullinix have gone to Bell Canon for a week's outing.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kite of Riverside were in Santa Ana yesterday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Forgy.

Joseph Goldsmith of San Francisco is in Santa Ana visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Goldsmith.

Mrs. J. P. Thompson and daughter have gone to Colton to be the guests of Mrs. Thompson's daughter, Mrs. J. J. Matthews.

L. M. Johnson of the San Joaquin ranch is entertaining O. P. Cook of Ventura.

G. W. Streeter is entertaining his brother, J. Streeter and wife, of Muncie, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. Streeter have been attending the Pythian conclave in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Booty, who have been guests at the home of J. A. Booty and family several weeks, started today for their home in Georgetown, Tex.

Miss Mamie Wall has gone to Los Angeles to be the guest of friends several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Landaker left today for Rogers, Ark., for a visit with relatives and friends.

J. E. Jackson and wife, who have been visiting Mr. Jackson's mother, Mrs. J. A. Willson, several months, left today for their home in Columbia, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Snow are entertaining their cousins, Henry Morse Downs of San Mateo, and Miss Gladys Downs of San Francisco.

Charles B. Van Syoc and wife started today for their home in Winfield, Iowa, after a visit of several weeks with W. C. Crawford and family at Tustin.

H. S. Straight has gone to Santa Catalina Island for an outing.

Dr. W. E. Sellech, the Santa Ana Band's drum major, returned today from the Pythian convention in San Francisco.

That Democratic deadlock in the second Supeevisoral district remains solid. Today the delegates met at Bolsa to make a nomination, but failed, and adjourned until a week from next Saturday. W. T. Newlands, one of the candidates, withdrew yesterday, but his followers kept on voting for him just the same.

FULLERTON.

NEWS BREVITIES.

FULLERTON, Aug. 19.—The Democrats of Orange county have elected the following delegates to the State and Congressional convention. Delegate at Large, Victor Montgomery; First Supervisoral district, J. A. Booty, M. Nisson; Second, Dr. W. H. Mead, Dr. H. S. Gordon; Third, Edgar Johnson, Clarence McFadden; Fourth, D. C. Pixley, T. M. Flippen; Fifth, G. W. Minter, J. D. Parsons.

Dr. W. A. Boucher, who purchased the veterinary business of Dr. Connoly, arrived this morning from Salina, Kan., accompanied by his wife, and will make Fullerton his home.

J. H. Clabaugh, Santa Fé agent at Anaheim, and Mrs. Clabaugh, celebrated their twentieth marriage anniversary, over fifty guests being present. The evening was pleasantly passed in games, after which dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Clabaugh.

SAN BERNARDINO.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

SAN BERNARDINO, Aug. 19.—The Democratic convention met today. J. Stanley Brown of Redlands was made chairman. The convention nominated the following ticket: For Superior Judge, J. W. Curtis, San Bernardino; Assemblyman, J. S. Whiteman, Cajon; Sheriff, C. S. Rouse, San Bernardino; Clerk, Robert T. Curtis, Mission; Recorder, C. H. Bohannan, Rialto; Tax Collector, J. W. Hammerly, Colton; District Attorney, T. W. Duckworth, San Bernardino; Assessor, Robert Breckenridge, Ontario; Treasurer, M. L. Aldridge, San Bernardino; Superintendent of Schools, H. A. Wierlwille, Rialto; Public Administrator, I. Gerrard, San Bernardino; Coroner, Dr. N. McFarland, San Bernardino. No nomination was made for Auditor. The place will be filled by the Central Committee.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.

The prospects for a lower tax levy for city purposes, than ever, seem good, for the reason that it is believed it will not be necessary to make a levy for the water fund this year. Last year this amounted to 60 cents, but there is a reserve in that fund of $10,000 this year that is thought to be sufficient to carry the city through.

Co. K is looking for a new drill hall and there is talk of building one.

There was a conference of attorneys here yesterday over the injunction suit brought by the Southern Pacific Company against the Traction Company, to prevent the latter from crossing its tracks at Colton. Attorney Ely of Redlands, who represents the Traction Company, and J. G. North of Riverside, who is thought to represent the Riverside and Arlington Electric Company, were the parties to the conference. It is believed that the two companies represented by Ely and North will join forces to fight the suit brought by the Southern Pacific. Mr. Ely has succeeded in securing a slight modification of the terms of the injunction, and the real battle over the matter will come up in the courts soon.

Word has been received here that Clarence Annable, son of Attorney Annable, who has been camping in the mountains, shot himself in the foot accidentally. Report says the wound is not dangerous.

Mrs. Frank Holbrook and children arrived from Ohio yesterday.

Mrs. C. P. Barrows, who attended the convention of the Grand Circle, Women of Woodcraft, at Cripple Creek, Colo., arrived home last evening.

Mrs. C. H. Gray, Miss Nellie Gray and Mrs. T. E. McCall of Vienna, Ill., are the guests of Mrs. C. E. Dunscomb.

Miss Ada Coy is entertaining Miss Florence White of Chino.

REDLANDS.

SECOND BOND FALL-DOWN.

REDLANDS, Aug. 19.—Again have the $50,000 bonds for street improvements, been rejected by the bidders. When the bonds were sold to the Oakland Savings Bank, $52,900 was the amount bid, but the northern concern defaulted. The next highest bid, $52,250, was from W. H. Harris & Co. of Chicago, who put up $1000 to bind the bargain. Now the City Clerk has telegraphed Dennison, Prior & Co. of Cleveland, O., who bid $52,020, offering the issue to them. It develops that the trouble grows out of a recent decision of the Supreme Court regarding the issuing of $15,000 by the authorities of Redondo several years ago, for the purpose of raising funds with which to build sidewalks, curbing and gutters. The higher court decided that under the Vrooman act, the expense of making such improvements should be assessed to the owner of abutting property, and not to the taxpayers in general. This decision has caused the bond buyers to hesitate about taking the Redlands bonds. However, the City Trustees think this is altogether a different case and claim that they were acting under amendments to the Vrooman act, which passed the Legislature in 1899 and 1901, expressly giving cities of the sixth class, the right to levy assessments in this manner for the purpose of making street improvements.

REDLANDS BREVITIES.

Valuations of city property, according to the tax rolls of 1902, are: Real estate, other than town lots, $1,608,048; improvements thereon, $887,990; city and town lots, $926,255; improvements thereon, $1,062,155; money, $79,896, personal property, exclusive of money, $434,844, making the total value of all property for 1902, $5,019,188. Last year it was $4,081,572, showing an increase of $937,616 this year. The total amount of mortgage deductions claimed by owners of realty was $108,437.

Lugonia school district needs another building and the patrons thought they had voted $15,000 for the purpose of constructing. It was found an error had been made in issuing the call for the election, and it will all have to be done over. September 2 the election will be held.

The Knights of Pythias, who are swarming to Los Angeles, do not give Redlands the go-by, for every incoming train is loaded down and usually late, on account of the heavy traffic. The hotels, restaurants and lodging houses are running over and the Nverymen are doing a big business.

Mrs. Artemus Ward and Artemus Ward, Jr., of New York, are among the visitors.

Waldo O'Kelly, H. E. Sherman, Jr., and R. A. Covington, are a trio of popular young business men of Redlands who are enjoying life at Catalina.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lloyd, Los Angeles, have been spending a few days here.

C. H. Anderson, cashier of the Vineland (N. J.) Bank, who is touring Southern California, is spending a few days in Redlands.

NEEDLES.

ANOTHER DESERT VICTIM.

NEEDLES, Aug. 19.—Another unfortunate has gone the terrible way of those who find themselves without water on the scorching desert. Twenty-five miles from here, in a hideous, lonely gulch, the remains of an unknown miner have been picked up. Near him lay the drying bodies of his two horses, still hitched to the wagon. They had met the same cruel fate as their driver. The unknown, who may have been a San Francisco man named Bergeman, came here from Nevada two weeks ago, and was headed for Los Angeles. He took the wrong course, and got into a waterless cañon, where no help was to be obtained, and man and team perished of thirst.

Valuable collection of pictures. Secure the story of the greatest disaster of modern times by sending 10 cents to The Times for the first part of "Martinique, St. Vincent and Danish West Indies," and other parts, to follow.

RIVERSIDE.

POLICE FIND DYNAMITE.

RIVERSIDE, Aug. 19.—Last evening the City Trustees took the first steps toward repaving Main street through the business portion of the city. It is proposed to lay new bituminous pavement, this time on a concrete foundation, instead of on the native earth, as in the first instance. The first job of paving cost the city quite a sum, and it was not at all satisfactory. In all probability, Eighth, the other business street, will also be repaved several blocks.

County Clerk Phelps is in receipt of a communication from Mrs. D. D. Wadsworth of Los Angeles, in which she forbids the official to issue a marriage license to her son, Louis D. Wadsworth, who, the mother claims, is but 19 years of age.

According to a report of City Clerk Stibbens the city's finances are a little short. The figures show the debit side of the ledger to be ahead $16,196. The expenses last month amounted to $7030.36.

Drs. Mackechnie and Browning of San Bernardino were here yesterday to interest the local physicians in the joint convention of the doctors of this and that county, to be held at Loma Linda Sanatorium in October.

The police made a discovery in the brush on Spring Brook, close to the city, in the shape of a large quantity of dynamite. The stuff was scattered along the brook, some of it in the water. No owner has turned up, and the officers are at a loss to account for its presence.

A large number of Knights of Pythias, who have attended the convention in San Francisco, are in the city.

A report has reached here to the effect that it is the intention of the Sunset Telephone Company to make a big reduction in rates for service September 1.

M. L. Stohl, a prominent merchant of Roolstown, O., is here with the intention of locating.

Dr. A. S. Parker, a leading physician, has received the appointment of physician in charge at the Sherman Indian School.

J. W. Butterfield of Indiana is a guest of his uncle, B. B. Bush.

Robert Henderson, a capitalist, who is East, is expected to return home tomorrow.

CORONA.

BURIED IN UNIFORM.

CORONA, Aug. 19.—The funeral of Fern Gleason, who met with instant death by falling from the top of the Odd Fellows' Building, was held in the Baptist Church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. E. T. Sandford. It was one of the largest funerals ever held here. Elmer Fern Gleason was born in Brooklyn, Iowa, September 14, 1873, and came with his parents to Corona in 1887. September 27, 1899, he enlisted in Co. L, Forty-third United States Volunteers, and served in the Philippines nearly two years. He was promoted to corporal, and mustered out July 5, 1901. He leaves, besides his parents, two brothers, Arvy and Guy. He was buried in his soldier's uniform.

CORONA BREVITIES.

Mrs. John E. Dulin was given a surprise party yesterday afternoon at her home on Ramona street, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. Those present were: Mmes. W. W. Stickney, L. M. Gress, M. E. Grinnell, Tilson, H. A. Wood, G. S. Burton, E. N. Currier, O. A. Arborn, A. B. Houston, T. Mayhew, R. Bryan, Cornelia Ye, C. E. Lillibridge, W. G. Tower, J. H. McKnight, Lydia Lillibridge, R. Wall, B. M. Lillibridge, L. J. Adams and Misses Zuia Mayhew and Lena McKnight.

E. B. Collier has bought a quarter block, corner Sixth and Washburn streets, of J. Kogley of Orange, and will build a story and a half cottage.

Mrs. C. B. Webster and daughters will leave tomorrow for Petaluma.

Messrs. and Mmes. Fred Baird, M. N. Thursby; Mmes. L. F. Baird, Nellie Glass, Rose Wilkins and children; John Glass and Alvin Bennett, returned Saturday evening from a two months' trip overland to Yosemite.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Sears will arrive tomorrow from Berkeley.

Today's departure include Capt. and Mrs. E. B. Alderman, Ocean Park; Mrs. A. A. Brubacher, Miss Bessie Brubacher, Long Beach; W. Alexander, Tom Davaughn, Los Angeles.

Mrs. S. R. Gearhardt, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. W. Gearhardt and son Grover of Springfield, Ill., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Gearhardt

W. H. Hill of Los Angeles visited Mrs. E. Beebe and family Sunday and Monday.

A. Masten and family left yesterday for Imperial.

SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY.

FIVE TO THREE FOR FLINT.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Aug. 19.—The Republican county convention today named a strong anti-Gage delegation to the State convention. Of the eight men selected five are for Flint, and the other three are non-committal, some of them probably for Gage. The delegation is unpledged.

The convention today was the most largely attended and enthusiastic in the history of the county. Henry W. Lynch was elected permanent chairman. Resolutions were adopted pledging the delegates to the State convention to work for the nomination of Victor H. Woods for Surveyor-General. The Congressional delegation was instructed to support Senator S. C. Smith for Congressman in the Eighth District. The following ticket was nominated: For Assemblyman, Sixty-third District, Warren M. John; Superior Judge, William Shipsey; County Clerk, John Whicher; Sheriff, John H. Hollister; Auditor, C. A. Farnum; District Attorney, C. A. Palmer; Assessor, C. O. King; Treasurer, John Kelshaw; Recorder, J. F. Fiedler; Tax Collector, William Maliagh; Superintendent of Schools, F. P. Johnson; Surveyor, A. F. Parson; Public Administrator, E. M. Carr; Coroner, G. B. Nichols; Supervisor, Second District, P. Tognazzini; Fourth District, P. Moore; delegates to State convention, J. E. Apsey, F. A. Dorn, H. W. Lynch, George W. McCabe, J. H. Glass, Easton Mills, P. H. Murphy, R. L. Dempsey; delegates to Congressional convention, Warren M. John, S. D. Ballou, Benjamin Brooks, J. B. Blake, E. F. Young, Easton Mills, Pat Moore and A. Luchessa.

MATILIJA.

VACATION VISITORS.

MATILIJA, Aug. 19.—Recent arrivals at Matilija Springs include: S. C. Northridge, San José; W. H. Davidson, Los Angeles; S. C. Bruittfield, Ventura; Charles Eisenmeyer, Jessie Devine, Nellie G. Devine, Los Angeles; J. D. Reges, Ozena; Myrtle James, Pomona; Charles Walker, Ventura; E. C. Freeman, wife and son; Dr. E. F. Bathrick and wife, Miss Rose Stoermer, Los Angeles; William Dibble, Covina.

PEATLANDERS PROUDER THAN EVER OF THEIR PET.

RAE PRICE GOES TO THE FRONT IN SCHOLARSHIP RACE.

Surprise Sprung on the Talent by the Pride of Orange County—A Serious Set-back for the "High Five" and the "Solid Six."

The Orange county peatlanders have more reason than ever to be proud of their representative in The Times Scholarship Contest. Miss Rae Price's name today heads the list, having moved up from seventh to first place at a single bound.

But for Miss Price's long leap, Miss Beckingsale would today again be in the lead. As it is, she remains No. 2, and Frank Cummings No. 3, as on the previous day, while Egbert Edwards, the leader for two days, is retired to fourth place.

Bessie Beatty, Florence Darch and Gertrude Smith have also had a setback on Miss Price's account, they now occupying fifth, sixth and seventh places, respectively, the lowest they have fallen since the beginning of the contest. It must not be taken for granted, however, that Miss Beatty, Miss Darch or Miss Smith will remain down. They are all workers and fighters, in the sense of waging an aggressive contest, and they will be of the "high five" again before the close of the race, unless people are badly mistaken in their guess, for the three young ladies mentioned have all been tipped as sure winners by their admiring friends. They will at least make a heroic effort to get back to the top.

While Gladys Edmonds, who has held eighth place for some time, has not seemed to be making much progress of late, she is still regarded as a formidable candidate for first place, and, like Miss Price, she may one of these days surprise the talent by moving up half a dozen numbers at one clip. Miss Edmonds is the favorite of a very large and influential circle of friends, who are lending her most generous aid in her ambition to win a scholarship in the Cumnock School of Expression.

Elsie Anderson of Pasadena, who also is a candidate for the Cumnock School, continues to hold ninth place without any immediate danger of being compelled to go lower. If any change should take place in her position, it is more likely to be in the other direction.

Philip English is sticking like a leech to tenth place, which he wrested from Mary O'Shea nearly a week ago. Miss O'Shea has apparently been taking a rest, but there is a well-defined rumor afloat that she is merely playing 'possum and preparing a big surprise for her friends, as well as for the rival contestants.

Charles Clapp of Azusa has made tremendous strides in the last few days, principally through the assistance of friends at Santa Paula who swear by him. He now occupies twelfth place and it will be hard for any one to set him back.

Juan Sanchez is getting busy again and is once more in thirteenth place, which is not an unlucky number for him.

Miss Lala Greenwade has dropped two numbers down the list on account of the deduction of 6000 points from her score, which had been erroneously given to her. If these 6000 points had been made good she would now have a total of 33,354 instead of 27,354. She has made up several thousand points since the discovery of the error, but not enough to place her back to the highest total heretofore credited to her, 29,230. She will have to gain nearly two thousand more before she will get back to her former level. Her friends are appealed to to help her to make up the deficit which occurred through no fault of her own.

Glenn Morgan, the young civil engineer who started in to win the Throop scholarship, has dropped back to fifteenth place and is close pressed in that position by Harry Schalwitz, the "Uncle Sam" boy who is putting up a splendid fight for one of the scholarship honors. Young Schalwitz has made many friends among the courthouse officials and employés and leading business men, by the polite and business-like way in which he has conducted his campaign.

That "little acorn" of Violet May Dawson is branching out again and she has moved up to seventeenth place, while Belle Campbell, one of the hard and steady workers, has moved back one number in consequence.

Niles C. Folsom is running up his score in a manner that is a surprise to all who know under what disadvantages he has labored. He is No. 19 on the list and will go higher, if he continues to make progress as he has in the last few weeks.

Leo Buckley, No. 20, is another bright and industrious boy who is coming to the front in a very gratifying way. He did not make such headway yesterday, but he has several large slices of patronage coming to him that will give him a big lift by and by.

Hattie Lander, the pet of the Soldiers' Home, is pursuing the even tenor of her way and is holding on to twenty-first place as though it were made expressly for her.

Ethel Stone has jumped up from twenty-fifth to twenty-second place, and has prospects of doing still better.

If there is any girl who deserves to succeed on her own unaided merits, it is Gertrude Ellis, who has not had the advantages that many of the other candidates have enjoyed, but who has been making good progress nevertheless. Miss Ellis is a good, honest girl of more than ordinary native ability and an ambition to secure a good business education. She has had no one to aid her in the present contest and what she has accomplished thus far is the result of the hardest kind of work.

Louisa Molina, who is so warmly recommended by her former teachers, schoolmates and friends, has been losing ground lately through no fault of her own. It is hoped her many friends and admirers will try to get her back to the position in the score list that she once occupied, and help to keep her there.

Among those at the lower end of the list who have made notable progress of late is Alma Tyler, who has advanced from thirty-fifth to thirty-second place and is making a strong effort to win the Los Angeles Conservatory of Music scholarship. Miss Tyler has a natural gift for music, but has not had the opportunity to develop it. She is very anxious to win a scholarship so that she can take a course of training under skilled instructors.

No changes of any note have taken place in the Arizona score in the last few days. Georgia McKee and Clyde Miller continue to hold first and second places, Miss McKee having a big lead over all the rest.

THE OIL INDUSTRY.

MANAGER PORTER'S ORDER STARTS MANY RUMORS.

POSSIBLE THAT KERN ASSOCIATION HAS SOLD TO STANDARD.

Not a Hopeful Outlook for Small Operators—Awakening in Local Field—Four Hundred Oil Company Sued. Trading on 'Change.

BAKERSFIELD, Aug. 19.—The general manager of the Associated Oil Company is in New York City, and since his arrival in that center all sorts of rumors have been floating about as to the object of his trip at this time. Mr. Porter is one of the shrewdest financiers in the country, and yesterday there came an order from him for the superintendent to reduce production in the company's wells, which, when it is considered, means the production of some fifty old companies that form the old Associated, means a great falling off in the product.

A gentleman connected with the Associated said today that he had heard of the order, but gave little thought to it, for the wells were not ordered to shut down completely. If the order meant that, some arrangement had been entered into with the Standard people, and the exigencies of the trade demanded a reduced production, it was beyond his knowledge how to account for the order to only pull two or three sets of tools.

The Associated is capitalized at $40,000,000, and controls the best producing territory in the county. If the Standard would offer a price for all their holdings, the question that bothers outsiders is whether the Associated would sell out. What effect such sale would have on this county is hard to guess, but of course the talk is that ruin would follow the supremacy of the great corporation, and small companies would go to the wall. The Associated now has control of production in this part of the State. If they cannot make the thing pay, it is questionable if any other combination could.

LOCAL AWAKENING.

NEW WELL, NEW OPERATORS.

The local oil field is waking up a little. Two new rigs have already been started this week, and it would not be surprising if more were to be put to work within the next few days.

Yesterday it was reported that a new well had been brought in near the corner of Ida and Kent streets, and that the oil encountered is of a superior grade. But little development has been carried on in that spur of the local territory, and if the producer proves a good one a new territory will be open to the operator.

WESTERN MINERALS COMPLAINS.

The Western Minerals Company has commenced a suit in Bakersfield against B. F. Suiter, F. M. Graham and the 400 Oil Company to recover possession of the Confidence mining claim, in the southeast quarter of section 7, 11, 23. The Western company alleges that the defendants are in possession of this property without right, and that they will not give it up.

ON 'CHANGE.

TWO SECURITIES SOLD.

Trading was light on 'change yesterday, but two sales being made during the call.

	Shares.	Price.
Southern Consolidated	1,000	$ .03
Hudson	1,000	.05
Total	2,000	$60.00

Closing bids and offers for listed oil stocks were:

	Bid.	Asked.
Alpha	$	$ .10
Aztec	.04	1.00
Bres Canyon	5.00	....
Central	.50	.55
Columbia	.15	.16
Continental	....	.01
Fullerton Consolidated	.31	....
Fullerton Oil	.04½	.05
Globe	.08	.12
Pacific Sloss	....	.01
Parker	.12	....
Reed Crude	.28	.30
Uncle Sam	....	.03½
United Petroleum	51.00	55.00
United Petroleum	80.00	120.00
Western Union	....	27.00
Senator	....	.02
Whittier Consolidated	....	.09½
Westlake	.02	.03

For unlisted mining stocks offers were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
Arizona & Ark. C., Z. & L.	$	$ .03
Arizona Giant	....	.03½
Butte Lode	25.00	....
Bisbee West	....	.16
Verde King	.26	.30
Wedge	....	.50½
Loma Verde	....	.18
Bisbee Belle	....	.05½
Greene Consolidated	....	29.00
Green Mountain	....	.18
Santa Rosa	....	.10
Wallapai	....	.12
South Bisbee Copper	....	.14
American Gold	....	.25
Red Cloud	....	.18
New Corntock	....	.17
Consolidated Mines	.48	.55
Quartette	7.00	10.00

PERTOLEUM MARKET.

The average grade of local oil is quoted at from 50 to 60 cents a barrel at the well. Oil of less than fourteen gravity can be bought for from 40 to 50 cents a barrel.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P. M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—At the morning session of the Oil Stock Exchange sales were made at following figures: Oil City Petroleum, 12 cents; Sterling, $1.42½; Four Oil, 49 cents.

SCHOLARSHIP SCORE AND PRIZE LIST

THE SCHOLARSHIP contest of THE TIMES will close at midnight of the last day of July 1 will close at midnight of the last day of July that hour returns from all parts of Southern California have to be in in order to figure in the final score. The contestants will be allowed a few days' extra time—a week—to send in their final reports, as the contest will be under way in the Territory until about the middle of August.

Following are the names of the contestants who have more than 1000 points to date:

THE SCORE:

1. Rae Price, Santa Ana
2. Winifred Beckingsale, Ontario
3. Frank Cummings, Jr., 227 S. Olive St.
4. Egbert Edwards, 949 E. 20th St.
5. Bessie Beatty, 411 West Second St
6. Florence Darch, 228 E. 28th St
7. Gertrude Smith, Downey
8. Gladys Edmonds, 646 W. 23d St.
9. Elsie Anderson, Pasadena
10. Philip Faunce English, 916 E. 23d St.
11. Mary O'Shea, 1360 W. 24th St
12. Charles Clapp, Azusa
13. Juan C. Sanchez, Los Nietos
14. Lala Greenwade, 1208 W. 30th St.
15. Glenn Morgan, 113 N. Olive St
16. Harry Schalwitz, 211 S. Union Ave.
17. Violet May Dawson, 921 E. 9th St.
18. Belle Campbell, 1721 S. Main St.
19. Niles C. Folsom, Santa Monica
20. Leo Buckley, 3307 S. Main St.
21. Hattie Lander, Hollywood
22. Ethel Stone, Station E, Los Angeles
23. Gertrude Ellis, 223 W. 31st St.
24. Robert Earle Dane, Long Beach
25. Louisa Molina, Colegrove
26. Eva R. Fraser, Norwalk
27. Hubert Leroy O'Neil, Tolusa
28. Edwin B. Fussell, Pasadena
29. M. Ella J. Lane, Compton
30. Susie Edmonds, South Pasadena
31. Ralph Moor, 1460 W. 23d St
32. Alma Tyler, 782 E. Pico St
33. John Burbaw, Station A, Pasadena
34. Hazel Keller, 1248 Arnold St.
35. Christopher Muthauf, Valencia and Shatto Sts.
36. Ross Ryan, 1321 W. Jefferson St.
37. Annie L. Robinson, University
38. Claude Rothrock, Long Beach
39. Lillis Harper, 2718 San Marino St.
40. Dennis Forrest, 418 W. 21st St.

ARIZONA SCORE:

1. Georgia McKee, Phoenix
2. Clyde Miller, Congress
3. Clifford K. Green, Phoenix
4. Laverna Lessing, Phoenix
5. Lea E. Burhans, Prescott

LIST OF SCHOLARSHIPS.

Following is the list of scholarships and cash prizes the successful contestants will have to select from:

University of Southern California—College of Liberal Arts, One scholarship; Preparatory school, One scholarship.
Los Angeles College of Law—One scholarship.
Pomona College—One scholarship.
Occidental College—Two scholarships.
Cumnock School of Expression and Oratory—Two scholarships.
Brownsberger Home School of Book-keeping and Graham Shorthand—Two scholarships.
Los Angeles Business College—Two scholarships.
Southern California Business College—Two scholarships.
Woodbury Business College—Two scholarships.
Throop Polytechnic Institute—One scholarship.
Los Angeles Military Academy—One scholarship.
Yale School—One scholarship worth $100 for a boy from Los Angeles or vicinity, and $100 rebate for boarding pupil from Arizona.
St. Vincent's College—Two scholarships.
Los Angeles School of Art and Design—Two scholarships.
Los Angeles Conservatory of Music and Art—Two scholarships.
Mme. Celestine Millas Groick's Academy of Languages—One scholarship.
Los Angeles State Normal School—One hundred dollars cash for incidental expenses (tuition free).
Territorial Normal School, Tempa, Ariz.—One hundred dollars cash for dormitory and incidental expenses. (For Arizona competition only.)
Lamson Business College, Phoenix, Ariz.—One scholarship. (For Arizona competition only.)

CASH PRIZES.

Including the $100 that will be given in lieu of scholarship to a pupil of the Normal school, the list of cash prizes aggregate $1030, divided as follows:

To winner of first choice of scholarships	$
To winner of second choice of scholarships	
To winner of third choice of scholarships	
To winner of fourth choice of scholarships	
To winner of fifth choice of scholarships	
To winner of sixth choice of scholarships	
To winner of seventh choice of scholarships	
To winner of eighth choice of scholarships	
To winner of ninth choice of scholarships	
Bonus for pupil in L. A. Normal School	
Bonus for pupil in Arizona Normal School	
Total	

The boy or girl who will secure the most paid subscriptions in the aggregate, computed by "points" of monthly subscriptions, will be entitled to first choice of scholarships, with the accompanying cash bonus. The one who secures the second highest number of "points" at the close of the contest will have second choice; the third highest, third choice, and so on till all of the scholarships and the cash prizes are disposed of.

POINTS IN THE GAME.

On subscriptions to THE DAILY TIMES, paid in advance, the following credits will be given to the scholarship contestant in whose interest the subscriptions are made, these credits or points being allowed for a new subscription as for a renewed:

TIME	PRICE	NEW
One month	$ .75	80 points
Two months	1.50	120 points
Three months	2.25	200 points
Four months	3.00	270 points
Five months	3.75	350 points
Six months	4.50	440 points
One year	9.00	1000 points

CHANCE FOR ALL TO VOTE.

In order to give every subscriber of THE TIMES opportunity to participate in the contest, by expressing his choice for some boy or girl who is working for a scholarship prize, a coupon will be printed from day to day, which, filled in as per directions printed upon it, and sent to THE TIMES, will be counted *one point* in favor of the scholarship honors whose name it bears.

DIRECTIONS.—Fill in name of person you favor for a scholarship and send to Scholarship Manager, Times Office, Los Angeles, Cal.

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Coupon No. 51. Good for One Vote.

Name .....

Address .....

TAKE NOTICE—This coupon is good only till Aug. 19, and will not be counted if presented after that date.

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

SUMMER AND WINTER APART.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, Aug. 19.—This afternoon decrees of divorce from Thomas M. Lewis, a wealthy farmer of this county, was granted Geraldine C. Lewis, on the grounds of willful neglect. The affairs of the Lewis's cause unusual interest because of the fact that the husband is over 80, and the wife little more than a girl. They separated the same day the marriage ceremony was performed, and have since lived apart. About a year ago the wife brought suit in the Superior Court for separate maintenance, and was defeated. Later she sued to recover $26,000 promissory notes alleged to have been presented to the wife by Lewis. Mrs. Lewis was again defeated, the court ruling that the signatures were forgeries. Two weeks ago the wife brought action for divorce, in which she was successful today. Matters pertaining to the division of the property were settled out of court.

CUP POLO.

The third and last game of the cup series between the Greens and the Reds was played yesterday afternoon at the polo grounds. A large crowd had gathered to witness the game, which was exciting from start to finish. The series of games was to be decided by the total number of goals scored by each side. Owing to the unavoidable delay of one of the team of Reds, the game was not called until 5 o'clock, but from this on the game was hotly contested. Several casualties occurred during the afternoon, the most serious being that of Bert Boeseke, who fell owing to a sudden stopping of his pony, so badly bruising his leg that he was unable to continue. At the close of the game the score was 7 to 7. The sides in yesterday's game were as follows: Greens, Roberts, Bettner, Colby and Rogers. Reds, B. Boeseke, Wickenden, Ed Boeseke and E. J. Boeseke. H. Proed of Riverside umpired the game.

SANTA BARBARA BREVITIES.

Deming Jarvis, well known in Santa Barbara as one of its winter residents, concluded a deal yesterday by which he became the owner of one of the best-situated holdings near the Country Club, in the Montecito Valley. The purchase was made from the Montecito Land Company. Mr. Jarvis expects soon to build a handsome home, and will spend several months here each year.

A contract has been let to Edward F. Edwards, for the construction of a two-story house for Mrs. Sidebotham in the Los Piedras tract. The contract price is $3380.

The plasterers have about completed their work on the exterior of the Potter Hotel, the painters are closely following, and the last of the scaffolding will come down this week. The men and teams have been increased on the grounds, and the filling is rapidly progressing.

Word has been received of the serious illness of Raymond Kellogg, with the Thompson Yosemite party.

Miss Ahern has received word of the death of her brother, John Ahern, from Asiatic cholera, after a very short illness, at Manila.

The announcement has just been made of the death of Miss Thirsa Gee at Waymouth, Eng., August 1, after a lingering illness. Miss Gee was well and favorably known in this city, having recently spent over two years here visiting her sister.

Through the courtesy of foreman Fred Rolph, of the new High School, the building is to be opened tomorrow to the public for inspection.

A. W. Hunt and Harvey Russell, of Newbury Park, left today for a trip through Lower California. They will drive, and will be gone about six weeks, with the view of investigating stock raising.

J. W. Kezer and wife of Los Cruces are in this city. After conducting a successful dairy business here for several years, Mr. Kezer left fourteen years ago.

Valuable Collection of Pictures.

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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

PASADENA YOUTH ATTEMPTS SUICIDE.

ARTHUR R. HEWITT MISSES HIS HEART AND MAY LIVE.

Heroic Treatment for Headache—Burglar Lights Match in Front of Policeman's Nose—McGee Place Sold. The Budget Fixed—Fisk's Death.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, No. 45 South Raymond Avenue, Aug. 20.—Arthur R. Hewitt, twenty-one-year-old son of C. B. Hewitt, attempted to commit suicide yesterday afternoon at about 4 o'clock, and so far succeeded that there is grave doubt of his recovery. He placed a 38-caliber revolver at his left side just over the heart and pulled the trigger. His physician says that several hours must elapse before the result of the wound is known. Danger is feared from blood poisoning, as the gun was held so close that portions of the young man's clothes were carried into the wound.

Arthur Hewitt, who has a father and mother living at Yolo avenue and Fillmore street, has not been living with them, but had a room at No. 245 Locust street with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nagel. Nagel is foreman of the Pasadena Art Leather Company of 1000 Colorado street, of which C. B. Hewitt, the father, is president. Young Hewitt was employed at the leather works.

Several years ago Arthur was sent away by his father, as he was inclined to be wild, and he returned recently. He has been ill and complained during the past day or two of a very severe headache.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Nagel went to report in his room and found him shot. She summoned a surgeon and the boy was taken to the Pasadena Hospital. He is conscious and suffering greatly. He said that he did not intend to kill himself, but was desperate with pain and knew no other way to relieve the pain. He was sorry for what he had done.

Arthur Hewitt aimed at his heart, but missed high. The bullet pierced the lung and came out in the back. He wore a linen mesh shirt, which was torn, and the flesh about the wound was burned.

WHAT TELL, BURGLAR?

A naughty burglar penetrated the rooms of the Carlton Hotel at about 4 o'clock yesterday morning, and one of the guests of the house had the pleasure of seeing him in the act of collecting change off the dresser. Evidently the burglar, prowling about the house, had heard vociferous snoring, and had decided to take a chance. He struck a match, and the flash aroused the sleeper, who raised up on one elbow, rubbed his eyes, and demanded gruffly:

"What t'ell?"

It is hard to say who was the more surprised the roomer or the burglar, but the latter made a dive for the door and the other fellow stayed, it looked as though a midnight prowler was the cowardly guest of the house got up and made a hurried invoice of his belongings. He found that he was minus about two pennies of a grand total of cents that had been left on the dresser. It was evidently a high-toned burglar, who never took the trouble to make change. The coin stolen consisted of a half dollar piece and two pennies. The half dollar had a picture of the Goddess of Liberty on one side and the eagle on the other, so if an unfortunate person sees a coin of this description anywhere he will return it to the police.

The victim of the burglary got a fine description of the perpetrator on the back of his eyeball—negatives preferred. The burglar had begun pulling open drawers of the dresser when he was startled by the demand for information, and impolitely withdrew without brightening things up. Signs of his presence were found in other parts of the house. An envelope was also left for mailing on the office desk. This the burglar tore open, and, inspecting from its bulk that it contained money. But it didn't. He then went into the room of a lady, but, finding her, but doing no further damage.

RESIDENCE SALE.

J. H. Holmes of Hotel Green has purchased the handsome residence at the corner of Glendale avenue and Marengo avenue known as the Thomas place, for $16,000. Thomas Foy is the principal owner. The house will repair and improve the property. The house has fifteen large rooms and the grounds are 240x285 feet. Mr. Holmes will rent it during the winter and reside there during the time while the Green is closed. Just how Pasadena property is increasing in value, Mr. Holmes was offered more than he paid for the place a short time after the purchase, but refused the offer.

CITY BUDGET.

The regular meeting of the City Council yesterday morning the Finance Committee presented the budget for the year and it was adopted. The appropriations are as follows: For city purposes, $1 per each $100 on $16,439,608 worth of property. This amounts to $16,439.60, to be divided among the funds as follows: General fund, rate 50 cents; executive fund, 57 cents; commissary fund, 23 cents; library fund 12 cents; educational fund, assessment of property in Pasadena City School District, $11,915,633, at 17½ cents on $100, $20,852.35. Fire and sewer sinking fund, assessment of property in the city of Pasadena, $10,439,608 at 12½ cents on the $100, making $13,049.51. Interest and sinking fund, assessment of property in the same, at 1 per cent, on the $100, $1,643.96. Municipal improvement bonds, assessment of property in the same, at 24 cents on the $100, $25,054.30. This makes the total tax rate $1.50.

DEATH OF W. W. FISK.

William W. Fisk died yesterday at his home, 1070 South Grand avenue. He was a son of L. J. Fisk of Cheshire, Mass., and came here on account of young Fisk's ill health. The elder Fisk is now in the East, and was preparing to move his household goods here, hoping that the climate would restore his son's health. Hemorrhage was the cause of death.

Fisk was born in New York, in 1870, spent his early life in Montana, where his father was engaged in railroad contracting. Young Fisk was vice-president of the Pasadena Ice Company, and well known here. He leaves a wife and parents. The funeral awaits the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Fisk, Sr., who are expected about Sunday.

PASADENA BREVITIES.

The Pasadena National Bank has elected Gilbert W. Pratt to fill the vacancy in the board of directors caused by the death of H. W. Hines. Mr. Pratt was superintendent of the Lonsdale Mills of Lonsdale, R. I., and came here about two years ago, residing on South Euclid avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Roberts will leave on Monday for an eastern trip of about three months. They will visit Ohio and Kentucky, and then will go to New York and Boston. In New York Dr. Roberts will engage for a month or two in hospital work.

Friends of Miss Theodosia Kane, who spent last winter at Hotel Green, have been informed of her engagement to Jessie Pack Van Doozer, the wedding to take place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kane of Chicago.

A. J. Civalier of Highland Park, who was injured on Monday night by a fall from a Pasadena car near his home at Highland Park, was reported last night as having partially recovered consciousness. There are hopes of his recovery.

Prof. Clarence John Blake of Harvard Medical School will deliver a lecture in Stickney Memorial Hall next Saturday evening under the auspices of the Pasadena Medical Society.

Mrs. P. H. Lukens died on Cypress avenue yesterday. She was a native of Germany, aged 82 years. Death was the result of a fall which she received last December.

Justice J. H. Merriam will sit this week for Justice Austin in the Police Court, Los Angeles, while Judge Austin is doing the convention.

Many visiting Knights of Pythias are being entertained at the local lodge headquarters.

Visiting Elks were entertained yesterday at the handsome rooms of the local lodge.

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LONG BEACH.

FISH ARE OVERFED.

LONG BEACH, Aug. 19.—The number of fish caught from the launches that have gone out from Long Beach lately has been very small in proportion to the fish in evidence in the waters near here.

"It seems strange that the fish won't bite any more than they do," said one of the boatmen today. "Out on the fishing grounds a few miles down the coast this morning there were tons and tons of fish so closely schooled that the waters appeared to be alive with them. There were yellowtail and bass in abundance, but even with baited hooks on the trolling lines only an occasional catch was made.

"The yellowtail were excitedly pursuing little fish of a variety about three inches in length, and they simply wouldn't look at the most tempting bait of any other kind.

"I am unable to account for the poor luck lately, but I believe it is due to the great abundance of small fish, so that the large fish have more feed than they want. That being a fact, the big fish naturally would be overfed, so that they would not actively pursue the bait offered by fishermen."

Thirty or forty fish, including a few yellowtail sea bass, sheepshead and other varieties, were brought in today by the launches Fleur de Lis, Helena and Pastime.

LONG BEACH BREVITIES.

Prof. and Mrs. J. J. Morgan have returned from a week's outing at Rincon. Prof. Morgan is the new supervising principal of the Long Beach schools.

The Woodmen of the World and the Women of Woodcraft will have their annual Southern California picnic in Long Beach September 9.

B. Brown will leave Thursday for an outing at Wheeler Springs, Ventura county.

F. Bourland, a boy 10 or 12 years old, was arrested by the City Marshal this morning on a charge of having stolen a watch belonging to S. S. Culver from a tent at Fourth and Daisy streets. The watch was recovered, and the lad admitted having taken it.

James Hopkins was arrested by Constable Wilson and Deputy Stevens this morning, and taken before Justice Hall on complaint of John Biggerstaff charging him with robbery. The preliminary examination was set for Thursday.

Plans are being carreid out to give the Knights of Pythias who come to Long Beach Wednesday a cordial welcome. The use of the pavilion for dancing during the afternoon and evening has been secured and it is expected that all knights in uniform will be admitted to the dancing privileges free.

There was a new turn in the Hook franchise application at the City Trustees' meeting Monday evening. The application was referred back to the California-Pacific Railway Company (the Hook company) to make an application more definite and explicit as to the kind of franchise wanted.

At the City Trustees' meeting Monday evening an application of J. S. Shafer for permission to sell goods from a wagon was refused. Shafer is the veteran whose unfortunate confinement under the pleasure wharf by order of the City Trustees several weeks ago was the subject of considerable notoriety.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Suess of Redlands, J. P. Perro of Pomona, Mabel Midgley of Florence, E. T. Lee of Riverside, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Baxter of Redlands, G. F. Kear and family of Riverside, Mrs. E. P. Tresslar, Ruth Tresslar and Gretna Tresslar of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. H. Van Alstyne and Thomas Van Alstyne of Fullerton, Mr. and Mrs. H. Haskell of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bailey and family of Pomona, Mamie Spencer, Edith Morrison and W. W. Willits of Los Angeles are at the Park View.

Mrs. Capt. W. C. Coulson of San Francisco, Mrs. A. H. Bibber of Orange, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Mitchell and Preston Mitchell of Uplands, Miss Blanche Nielan of Los Angeles, H. G. Heisler of Los Angeles, Mrs. F. C. Millard and children of Los Angeles, Pauline Stiles and Hazel Cochran of San Bernardino, Mr. and Mrs H. Phillips of Ontario, M. S. Samson of Los Angeles, R. F. McGowan of Los Angeles, Mrs. R. J. Spooner and Miss Spooner of Riverside, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Barnhart of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Brooks of Guantanamo, Cuba; J. A. Wood, Jr., of Tyrone, Pa.; M. E. Wood of Chicago, J. Perry Wood of New Haven, Ct.; Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Barden of Los Angeles, Colbert Phillips of Los Angeles, Dr. A. G. Schloesser of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Neighbors and family of Los Angeles, Mrs. W. L. McCutchen of Hickman, Ky.; T. L. McCutchen of Clifton, Ariz.; Mrs. C. M. Parker, Miss Ethel Parker and Miss Virginia Parker of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Leach of Omaha, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Pollock of Ontario and Mrs. S. Stormer and children of St. Louis, Mo., are staying at the Julian.

REAL THING IN GOLF PLANNED AT REDONDO.

TOURNAMENT TO BE HELD LATE IN SEPTEMBER.

Ping-Pong to Be Made a Feature of the Entertainment—Quartette Makes Season's Largest Catch of Fish—Seaside News Notes.

REDONDO, Aug. 19.—The steady effort to put in good condition the golf course and putting greens has begun to manifest itself, if players and enthusiasm count for aught in the golf world. Daily, from early till late, players may be seen doing the course twice in pursuit of an eighteen-hole record. In view of the excellent condition of the links a golf tournament is being arranged, which bids fair to be one of the largest, if not the largest, held in Southern California for several seasons. The coöperation of the Los Angeles Country Club, with that of the Redondo players will afford much pleasure to golfers and spectators. The tourney will not be confined to golf, however, as ping-pong will be a feature of the events. The time set for the tourney is as yet uncertain, but it will be as near the latter part of next week as it will be possible to make the date. This latter will be determined within the next day or two. Waldo Norris and R. D. Osborn are a Committee on Arrangements.

BEST FISH CATCH.

While ping-pong and tennis and golf and dancing are being discussed and speculated on, on every turn, four of the quiet, sedate guests of the hotel have been keeping up a thinking as to how they could distinguish themselves with becoming dignity. As the outcome this quartette, consisting of Col. Greenleaf, I. N. Pilkerton, Mr. Ardison and W. R. Bentley, betook themselves, with rod and reel, many miles out onto the ocean, on a fishing excursion. Four hours were all that were necessary for the gentlemen to gain honors and distinction, and fish. Eight yellowtail, four albicore, twenty barracuda and twenty-four bass are on exhibition as the best catch of the season, and the anglers beamed on friends last evening when relating the story of their successful venture.

REDONDO BREVITIES.

The hospitality of Col. and Mrs. J. F. Seymour at their pretty home on the bluffs has become a fixed event in the lives of Redondo's best set. Informal gatherings of an afternoon, followed by tea, is about daily enjoyed by the young people, a recent event of the set numbering among the strollers in, Mr. and Mrs. Cosmo Morgan, Mrs. I. N. Van Nuys, Mrs. Hannon, Volney Howard, Miss Susie Howard, Miss McGilvray, Mr. McGilvray, George Wallace, James Hobbs, Mr. and Mrs. William Pridham, Miss Grace McCormack, Miss Maurice, Miss Susie Carpenter, Guy Corson, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Haskins, Miss Ethel Mullins, Miss Mary Smith, Miss Alby Easton, James G. Easton, Miss Harriet Smith, Waldo Norris, Miss Newlin, Miss Derby, Miss Annis Van Nuys, Miss Grace Mellus, Beauchamp Smith.

Among the recent visitors at Hotel Redondo was Miss Alby Easton of Los Angeles, sister of James J. Easton. Miss Easton was warmly welcomed by many friends at Redondo.

Hotel Redondo arrivals include Miss Bess Miller, J. F. Ives, H. J. Slater, J. F. Mullen and Mrs. Gilbert Gay, Los Angeles; A. D. Wright, Santa Monica.

Mrs. J. J. Byrne of Los Angeles and her mother, Mrs. Castle of Chicago, were the guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Blaisdell.

Miss Frances Hays, who has been visiting Mrs. W. R. Albee, returned to her home in Portland on the steamer State of California.

An informal hop will be held tomorrow (Wednesday) evening at the Hotel Redondo, Lowinsky's orchestra furnishing the music.

The steamer Iaqua, Capt. Gunderson, departed today for San Francisco, stopping en route to coal at Port Los Angeles.

The oil steamer George Loomis, Capt. Bridgett, arrived last evening and took in a full cargo of oil for San Francisco.

Other notable visitors at the hotel are Mr. and Mrs. A. M. C. Hardenburgh of Los Angeles.

The Santa Rosa arrived last evening from San Francisco, with a heavy tonnage for Redondo.

Miss Bess Miller of Los Angeles is the guest of Mr. I. N. Van Nuys at Hotel Redondo.

Miss Grace Mellus of Los Angeles is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Haskins.

Mrs. Gilbert Gay of Los Angeles is among the recent arrivals at the hotel.

J. Benton Van Nuys has been visiting his mother and sister at the hotel.

BRIGHTON BEACH.

WHIFFS FROM THE SEA.

BRIGHTON BEACH, Aug. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Gibbon entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross Clark at an elegant luncheon Sunday, which was prepared at the Brighton Beach Hotel.

Isaac M. Stoddard and family of Phoenix, Ariz., who have been staying at the hotel several weeks, spent Monday afternoon in Los Angeles, where they were the guests of C. D. Cheesman on a drive around the city, and a visit to the Country Club.

Cotton Smith was the host of a jolly party of Los Angeles folk on a cruise along the coast aboard the launch Elsie Sunday evening.

Miss Echo Allen gave a luncheon at the Brighton Beach Hotel Monday in honor of her friend, Miss May Schwartz, of Philadelphia. The invited guests were Mrs. M. J. Connell, Miss Ella Clark, Miss Alice Graves, Miss Lela Christopher, Misses Ethel and Jane Crellin, Miss Nora Sterry, Miss Anna Fay.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Quinlan of Los Angeles spent Sunday at the beach.

Edward Bautzer of San Pedro was a guest at the hotel Sunday.

T. P. Cullen, superintendent of the Salt Lake road, spent Sunday at the beach.

M. J. Gress of Los Angeles visited the beach over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cason entertained Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Crombie, Miss Moody and Robert Burns at luncheon Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Kurtz and daughter, Miss Katherine, are spending several weeks at the hotel.

Warren F. Day of Los Angeles was a visitor here this week.

Miss Dickenson and Miss Fishburn of Kansas City, Mo., are spending a while at the beach.

William Halsey of Redlands was registered at the hotel Sunday.

Frank Salisbury of Los Angeles visited the beach Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Gaile Cartmille of Columbus, O., is stopping at the hotel for a few days.

Bert Traver, George J. Kyte and B. M. Stevens of Los Angeles were here Saturday and Sunday.

D. E. Patterson of Los Angeles visited the beach this week.

Misses Church and Geiber of Redlands are guests at the hotel for several days.

Recent arrivals at the Brighton Beach Hotel include Miss Nina Reed, Miss Ethel Hall, Dr. F. W. Holman, Miss Laura Compas, Miss Johnson, Frank Hirsch, Los Angeles; Le Roy Wagner, Cincinnati, O.; H. Emaxson and wife, M.C., G. B. and E. C. Wilkinson, Los Angeles.

SAN PEDRO.

HARBOR TOWN NOTES.

SAN PEDRO, Aug. 19.—Rev. William E. Jacobs and wife, who have been visiting their daughter in Oceanside a month, returned home Sunday.

Capt. Hubbard of the schooner Melrose, who was stricken with paralysis several days ago, has been taken to the County Hospital in Los Angeles, where he is said to be in a critical condition.

G. E. Harpham of Los Angeles is in the city today on business.

Harry R. Stone and family are in Catalina for a few days.

George H. Peck has commenced building a handsome two-story brick business block on the southeast corner of Beacon and Sixth streets. William Spencer has the contract.

J. F. Wetherby, local agent of the Southern Pacific Company, is the recipient of a handsome gold medal awarded to him as a premium for the neat appearance of his quarters.

The steamer Prentiss, Capt. Ehlstrom, from Union, arrived in port last night with a cargo of lumber for the Southern California Lumber Company.

The steamer Ruth, Capt. Johnson, sailed yesterday for Fishermen's Bay, after having discharged her cargo of railroad ties at the wharf of the Salt Lake road.

The steamer Alcatraz, Capt. Carlson, is in port from Greenwood, with a cargo of lumber for the Southern California Lumber Company.

The schooner J. M. Coleman, Capt. Peterson, sailed Saturday afternoon for Port Townsend, where she has gone for orders.

WHITTIER.

FAREWELL TO AGED PASTOR.

WHITTIER, Aug. 19.—An enjoyable reception was tendered to Dr. and Mrs William Stevenson of the Methodist Church last evening in the church parlors. The occasion was in the nature of a farewell to the pastor and his wife, as they are to move this week to Santa Monica. Dr. Stevenson, who is as vigorous mentally as he was at 40, has passed more than eighty years, nearly sixty of which have been spent in the ministry, and he will retire from active ministerial duty at the coming September conference of the Methodists of Southern California. There were nearly two hundred guests at last evening's affair, which was very charming, and during the evening, after the entire company had joined in singing "Blest be the Tie That Binds," and a prayer by Rev. J. H. Woodward, George L. Hazzard made a brief speech, and presented Dr. Stevenson with a well-filled purse from the members of his church.

WHITTIER BREVITIES.

The Athletic Society of Whittier College are busily engaged today in preparation for an art loan exhibition, which they will hold tomorrow and next day at the college. It has been a matter of surprise to find the number of colonial and early English relics and curios owned in so young a city as Whittier, which dates back over only fifteen years.

The biggest and best barley crop of many years has just been harvested, enormous peach and plum crops are coming off the trees, and the next in order is the big crop on the walnut trees. The scarcity of the French nuts, and the abundant crop of high-grade nuts here, will bring high prices and, if possible, a better reputation for this section. The walnut disease, which appeared a few years ago, has been decreasing lately, and a high-grade crop is now assured. The walnut ranchers are all irrigating, but their happiness is visible, just the same. The last class of rancher to feel the warmth of fortune's smile is the orange grower. Whittier orange ranches were untouched by frost last winter, and the crop shows no signs of the dropping complained of by so many growers in other sections. Add to this the statement that in many of the orchards the young fruit is going to be much earlier than usual—in time for the holidays, a good deal of it—and the reason for the ranchers' smile is plainer still.

J. S. Butman and family joined the Whittier colony at Long Beach today, and Alva Starbuck and wife and S. W. Barton and family joined them yesterday.

W. L. Stafford and family returned this morning from Long Beach, where they have spent the past six weeks.

LORDSBURG.

TWO KINDS OF "SKULE."

LORDSBURG, Aug. 19.—The Emerson Club of Lordsburg has arranged a "deestrick skule of fifty years ago" to be given Friday evening in the Woodmen's Hall, for the benefit of the Lordsburg public library. At the same time an "up-to-date" district school meeting will be held in the La Verne school to discuss the vexed question of plans for the new building, over which there is so much lack of harmony.

LORDSBURG BREVITIES.

The contractors from Los Angeles who are to build the new Carnegie library in Pomona have been examining the various bricks made throughout this part of the State and have decided to use those made in Lordsburg and have placed an order with the local company for 200,000 bricks.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Brown of La Verne received a telegram last night announcing the death of their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ed Brown of Seattle. The deceased leaves a widower and several young children. Mrs. B. B. Brown left for Seattle today and it is expected that he will soon follow, and they will make their home in Seattle. This will be regretted by their many friends in La Verne.

M. A. Rogers and wife of La Verne will leave tomorrow for Wilson's Peak, where they will be joined by Dr. John Rogers and wife of Los Angeles.

Francis G. Wyman has bought the ten-acre orange grove of Mrs. J. A. Howe at La Verne for $9050.

Valuable collection of pictures. Secure the story of the greatest disaster of modern times by sending 10 cents to The Times for the first part of "Martinique, St. Vincent and Danish West Indies," and other parts, to follow.

FOR Los Angeles realty, see Althouse Bros.

SEAL HUNTER HURT BY JUMPING LION.

AVALON MAN'S FINGERS PINCHED BY TIGHT ROPE.

Enthusiastic Fishermen and Others Make Big Hauls from Clear Catalina Waters—Wireless Message Says System is Nearly Ready for Business.

AVALON, Aug. 19.—Jim Gardner is a fit subject for the tuna hospital this week, although it was not a tuna that bit him. In his scrimmage with the seals which he and Tommy Whitley captured for the Boisa Gun Club, Gardner had the four fingers of his left hand barked so severely that he is not able to use them. He had roped a big 600-pound sea lion and when the animal awoke and found what had happened it bounded nearly twenty feet into the air and the impact of the rope which was coiled around Jim's hand, came near tearing the fingers off.

FISHERMEN'S LUCK.

A pair of as enthusiastic fishers as one often meets went out in company with Fred New yesterday in the launch Mildred. They were F. S. Ingoldsby, general manager of the Ingoldsby Automatic Car Company of St. Louis, and his wife. They were amateurs at sea fishing. Mrs. Ingoldsby never having caught a fish larger than a minnow before. They are both in the tuna hospital today and are not shaking hands with their friends. But it was a good deal for the druggist. One sympathizer recommended Pond's Extract; another arnica, and another St. Jacob's Oil, and where it would have ended no one knows; but they bought out the drug store and when there was nothing more to buy, called a halt. The three fishers got twenty-six big, bustin' yellowtail and a lot of rock bass before their hands gave out, and then they came in to have their pictures taken with the catch. Mrs. Ingoldsby's enthusiasm knew no bounds when she saw the big fish being hung up on the rack, and that the showing might be complete she stepped into the little boat from which the fish were being landed to get the last one left. She picked it up and thought to rinse it over the side of the skiff when it began to float away. Without a moment's hesitation she plunged in after it. She got it, but when her picture was taken the only dry articles of clothing on her person were her side combs.

Fred New is still wondering what happened to him. They were nearing home when his reel began to screech. He put on the brake and then jammed it down harder till there was a stream of smoke rising from it. Skipper Elms shut off and reversed his engine, but it was no use. So like lightning was the action of the fish that before the launch could stop the 600 feet of line was out and gone! The leather brake has a burned groove in it to show what friction will do.

B. Cartwright is dead struck on getting a jewfish with which to ornament the Times-Mirror job office. He has made several tries and still has another coming. He was out with the Nautilus this morning nad hooked four of the big black gentry, but all got away. On the last he broke his rod into four pieces, and after fighting with the broken butt of the rod for thirty minutes, his line parted and—don't say a word to Cartwright!

J. I. Crowell yesterday, with a friend, went to the Isthmus in the Lolland for a day's fishing. He surely had it, for he brought back 91 rock bass, 12 yellowtail and 1 albacore.

F. J. Carnes with the Adelaide, had five yellowtail and one rock bass yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Castleman of Riverside, with his nephew, out with the Violet G. this morning, had twelve yellowtail and six rock bass.

E. A. Maas of Alhambra and C. F. Thorpe of Cucamonga, with the Catalina, had fifteen yellowtail and a barracuda.

George Weber was out for twenty-five minutes in a rowboat and caught two yellowtail.

A. R. Street, Mrs. L. McGinness, Mrs. May Dolson and J. Burton, with a rowboat, caught one yellowtail, five mackerel, three perch and a sculpin.

ISLAND BREVITIES.

Chief Electrician Swenson of the wireless telegraph, is here and looking after every detail in his department in anticipation of the opening of the system Saturday. "Everything is working like a clock," said he this morning, "and we will make short work of getting ready when we get hold of the Western Union wires." He had a very satisfactory chat across the water with W. G. Sener, the new operator at the White's Point station, at the close of which Sener said to tell Gen. New that "he (New) had the real thing in this invention. Marvelous as it may seem, it works." W. R. Carroll, who is on the other side will return tomorrow and operate this end. Last night's experience demonstrated that a night operator is needed. When it was found necessary to call for the Falcon to assist in carrying the early crowd this morning an attempt was made to get the word through by the wireless, but as it was then after 8 o'clock last evening, there was no one about the station and the Banning Company was obliged to send a launch to convey the message. Today a tent was erected alongside the station where the operator will sleep, and up to a reasonable hour messages will be received when the system is opened.

A moonlight party last night, with the Meteor, visited Seal and Sphinx rocks, and then passing up the island went as far as Camp Whittier, enjoying the balmy brightness of the evening. The party was composed of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Hill, Mrs. E. H. Edwards, Glenn Edwards, Mrs. Charles Condee, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Payne, Mrs. E. A. Phillips, Misses Willis, Hazel and Bessie Holscombe, Jennie Lamb, Muriel Stewart Jones, Buell, Truitt, Davidson, Thompson, Collier, Hildegarde Payne and Condee; Messrs. Hamilton Frazer, Edwards, Phillips, J. E. Hill, Eglehoff, Walker, Thilenius, McNeil, McGibbon, Hopkins, Horner and John Phillips.

The "Jolly Four," consisting of Misses Carrie Young, Valmere Schmidt, Doris and Phyllis Kirschner, gave a delightful little party at Mrs. Young's cottage on Summer avenue last evening, at which refreshments were served and games indulged in. Those present were Edis Swanfeldt, Phyllis Kirschner, Carrie Young, Gertrude Eckeles, Etta Stephens, Constance Grose, Leora Reider, Valmere Schmidt, Doris Kirschner, Blanche Ford, Marguerite Ford, Virginia Grose, Hudson Young.

Yesterday was Commodore Paine's last vacation day for this year, as he left for his Cleveland home this morning, and he took his wife and son and Mrs. L. J. Sawin out to the grouper banks to give them an exhibition of cod fishing. The two ladies went manfully at the work of hoisting weights from the depths below. At the first haul they got sixteen fish; at the second seventeen, and with varying numbers they continued to hoist until they had a catch of 102 fish. Then, as a souvenir of the season of '02, they came in and had photographs taken of the party with the great catch of these brilliant red and beautifully mottled fish.

Mrs. Louis Dutour received a letter today from her brother, Charles De Higy, who with Clarence Morris started some ten days ago for a bicycle trip across the continent to New York. The voyagers were at Albuquerque Sunday and left there that evening, in good order, although young Morris had been quite under the weather from the severe heat of the desert, for a few days. They directed their friends to write them at Kansas City.

John Kazsar thought for a time yesterday that yellowtail fishing was all off with him. He is a mixer behind Ben Rosin's bar, and yesterday while putting a faucet into a barrel of beer, the faucet blew out and struck "Yellowtail Johnnie" on the temple with such force that he was knocked senseless for a few minutes.

Mrs. A. W. Sutherland, Misses Sara, Gretta and Marie Sutherland are at Camp "Happy" for a few weeks.

Miss Winifred Martin of the San Bernardino Transcript is a guest at the Grand View.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Colby, well known in musical circles, are visiting the island.

H. B. Wilson, a banker of Redlands, with his wife, is at the Grand View.

Mrs. J. J. Hillier broke camp yesterday and returned to Los Angeles.

WIRELESS NEWS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

AVALON, Aug. 19.—[By Wireless Telegraph.] The Pacific Wireless Telegraph and Telephone Company, which has installed stations at Avalon, on this island, and at White's Point, on the mainland, near San Pedro, will have its line connected with the Western Union Company by Thursday, and it is confidently expected that the system will be thrown open to the public on Saturday morning. Messages are being sent and received daily, and the wireless system is working perfectly, but until wire connection is established at San Pedro no commercial business is being accepted.

TWO BURGLARY JOBS IN SANTA MONICA.

MONEY IN CASH REGISTERS, AND REVOLVERS STOLEN.

Busy Day at the Catholic Fair—Finals in Ladies' Handicap Golf Singles to Be Played Today—Notes and Personals.

SANTA MONICA, Aug. 19.—The store of C. D. Middlekauff was broken into last night, the rear door being forced opened by means of a large hole cut through it by an inch augur. The money in the cash register, $5, was taken, and four revolvers are missing. A meat market was also entered, and the cash register robbed, and it is thought the same parties committed both robberies.

AT THE FAIR.

Today has been a busy one at the Catholic fair. The dinner prepared and served by the women at noon was enjoyed by more than a hundred visitors. The Auditorium has been thronged, a number coming from Los Angeles, including President Glass of St. Vincent's College; Fathers Martin, O'Connor and McEwen, all of the same school, and Father Baron of Boyle Heights; the Misses Mullen, the Misses Dillon, Miss Mae Kenealy, the Misses Shillings, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hancock, Mrs. J. P. Delaney and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. Scott, Mrs. J. Winston and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Woollacott, Miss Charlotte Workman, Miss Ponet, the Misses Leonardt and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Leonardt.

GOLF FINALS.

The finals in ladies' handicap singles will be played at the Casino courts Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, between Miss Seymour of Redondo and Mrs. J. W. Hendrick. In the afternoon there will be polo at the polo grounds on Nevada avenue and Tenth street, and a cordial invitation is extended to all who may care to witness the game. The polo tea will be served by Mrs. Roy Jones, who will be assisted by a number of charming matrons and several of the young girls in the smart set. The game will be called at 2:30 o'clock.

SANTA MONICA BREVITIES.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sheller entertained a few friends with a picnic at Rustic Cañon on Sunday afternoon. All kinds of good things to eat were taken along and supper was cooked over the campfire, after which the rest of the evening was devoted to music and story-telling as they sat around the roaring campfire. The moonlight drive home was one of the enjoyable features of the affair. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Preuss, Mr. and Mrs. E. McLaughlin, Mrs. Carrie Schumaker, Miss Gephard, Dick Garvey and Kenneth Preuss.

Marco Hellman gave a theater party at the Burbank on Saturday evening, followed by a supper at the Pavilion, to the following-named guests: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Laud, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Laub, Mrs. H. Franks, Dr. and Mrs. Carl Kurtz, Mrs. Dunklespiel, Miss Florence Laub and Ewing Hellman.

A daughter has been born to the wife of William Hatton of Los Angeles. Mrs. Hatton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Carrillo of this city, and will be remembered as one of the most charming girl brides ever seen in Santa Monica.

Mrs. J. Erwin Hoy, Mrs. T. Horace Dudley, Miss May Carter and Mrs. H. Lyman were entertained at luncheon today by Mrs. Gerald Fitz-Gerald of Los Angeles, at her home on South Flower street.

Miss Nettie Gephard entertained at luncheon today, at the Hotel Arcadia, the following-named guests: Mrs. E. A. Preuss, Mrs. Carrie Schumaker, Mrs. Waldron and Mrs. A. J. Potter.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Hart have returned from their northern trip and will be the guests of Mrs. Hart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Baisley, until their home is completed.

Guests staying at the Arcadia are George Collins and wife of Bolizi, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Clark of El Paso, and Mrs. J. Abbott of Arizona.

Mrs. J. S. Chapman, Miss Kate Spence and Miss Anna Chapman of Los Angeles were the guests of Mrs. John D. Bicknell at luncheon today.

Mrs. Jane Hunter of Los Angeles is visiting friends in Santa Monica for a few days prior to her departure for New York City.

Mrs. C. H. Hudson and Mrs. H. A. Winslow will be the hostesses at tomorrow evening's ping-pong at the Casino.

Fred McComas of Gilroy, formerly a well-known business man of Santa Monica, is in the city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hubbard of Los Angeles are spending a few days in Santa Monica visiting old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gorham of San Francisco arrived here this morning for a short visit at Miramar.

Miss Brener of San Francisco is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. J. Bevins of Third street.

John Young and Edward Syman were sent to jail twelve days for disturbing the peace.

OCEAN PARK.

READY FOR TENNIS.

OCEAN PARK, Aug. 19.—The extensive preparation for Friday's and Saturday's sports at the Ocean Park Country Club are about completed. A large number of entries have been made for the tennis tournament, and many of the crack players of Southern California are expected to participate. Handsome prizes will be given.

Saturday afternoon a polo match will be played between the Ocean Park team and the Riverside team.

A party on board the Wilma had great sport yesterday they went out to the fishing banks in the morning returning about 4 o'clock in the afternoon with 600 pounds of fish of different varieties. Those who went were D. H. Collins and son, G. A. Collins, W. H. Hewett and son, J. H. Rice, George Stimke, W. Stimke, Charles Carrillo and Al Carillo.

A fishing camp has been established at Point Dumas by Capt. Smith and a large quantity of fish are brought from there. Yesterday's catch was 900 pounds of lobster.

E. S. Beckley of San Bernardino is spending the week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beckley.

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56-inch $1.50 Golf Cloth at $1.00.

FIRST SHOWING OF SUPERIOR QUALITY OF NEW FALL WEAVES.

A superior assortment of about one thousand yards of handsome new golf cloths in all the pretty color combinations, medium and dark gray, medium and dark brown, also oxford gray. They are very firm and durable; are of the weight which requires no lining; have a coarse nap, will not fuzz up, are strictly pure wool and full 56 inches wide. Golf cloths are practically indestructible and are certainly most serviceable for walking suits and walking skirts for outing, beach purposes and rainy days. This material cannot be matched in Los Angeles under $1.50 a yard. We make it a season leader at per yard..... **$1.00**

Men's $12 to $15.00 Suits at $8.95.

About 75 suits in the combined lot, consisting of fine all wool Worsteds, Cheviots, Cassimeres and Tweeds; coats are made single breasted in the new military cut; there is a choice assortment of light and dark colorings and patterns; sizes range 34 to 42; these suits are all elegantly tailored, are perfect fitting; are in good styles and represent the broken lines of regular $12.00 to $15.00 values, all go on sale at a clean up price per suit..... **$8.95**

Men's $5 and $7.50 Crash Suits at $2.98.

A general clearance of our entire line of men's crash suits in linens, ducks, crashes and cheviots. They are all made by the well known manufacturer, Alfred Benjamin. The pants, coat and vest are finished with pretty pearl buttons, have patch pockets and the vests are either single or double breasted. Sizes range 34 to 48 and we can fit either slims, medium size or extra stouts. Selling prices to now have been from $5 to $7.50; all marked at a cleanup price choice per suit..... **$2.98**

Cleanup Sale of Knit Underwear

An Overdue Shipment Just Received.

Prices so Low A Dollar Does Duty for Two.

Just 35 cases of fine knit underwear which should have been here for early summer selling have just been received. The season is now more than half over and we can not expect much profit but the goods must be sold quickly for fall merchandise is at our doors and we must have shelf room. We shall not attempt to sell in the regular way but inaugurate a cleanup sale at once. Do not hesitate about buying, for the values are so low you can not resist. No such bargains were ever before offered on strictly new goods. How many can you use? It is a safe investment to purchase just as heavily as your means will allow.

Ladies' White Vests, low neck and sleeveless; regular 10c values; sale price..... 5c

Ladies' White Vests, low neck and sleeveless; the arms and neck taped; regular 12½ values; sale price each..... 8⅓c

Ladies' White Vests, low neck and sleeveless, prettily silk taped around neck and arms; are regular 15c values; sale price each..... 10c

Ladies' White Vests, low neck and sleeveless, finished with pretty lace yoke; our regular 8 for 50c values, sale price, each..... 12½c

Ladies' White Vests made with colored neck and arms, in the low neck and sleeveless style; regular 20c values, sale price each..... 15c

Ladies' White Vests, low neck and sleeveless, lace yoke and shoulders; regular 25c values, sale price 8 for 50c or each..... 17c

Ladies' Knit Underwear, heavy weight; the vests in high neck and long sleeves, the pants in ankle length to match; both regular 35c values, sale price per garment..... 25c

Ladies' White Vests, low neck and sleeveless, made with lace yoke, back and shoulders; regular 25c values, sale price each..... 19c

Misses' White Vests, low neck and sleeveless, Swiss ribbed, silk taped; regular 50c values, sale price each..... 25c

Ladies' Lisle Thread Vests, white only, low neck and sleeveless, lace trimmed yoke and shoulder; regular 35c values, sale price each..... 25c

Ladies' Fine Knit Vests, either high neck and long sleeves or high neck and short sleeves; they are in white only. They are made of two thread lisle and have silk finished front and neck; regular 50c values, sale price each..... 39c

Ladies' Knit Vests, high neck and long sleeves, silk finished and silk taped; colors pink, blue and white; regular 75c values, sale price each..... 50c

Ladies' Silk finished lisle Vests, low neck and sleeveless, have lace yoke and lace shoulders; are in white only; our regular 75c values. Sale price, each..... 50c

Ladies' Knit Drawers, Jersey ribbed, lace trimmed; are of mercerized lisle, in white only; regular 85c values. Sale price, per pair..... 59c

Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Drawers, either knee or ankle length; the knee length come both in cuff or trimmed knee; these are 85c values, sale price per pair..... 25c

Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Drawers prettily lace trimmed, white only, all sizes; regular 65c values, sale price, per pair..... 39c

Boys' and Girls' Knit Underwear consisting of fine French ribbed vests, pants, shirts and drawers, all of good weight; colors gray and white; regular 35c values, sale price per garment..... 25c

Infants' white knit vests, high neck and long sleeves, regular 25c value; sale price, 3 garments for 50c or each..... 17c

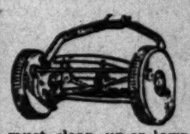
Infants' white knit vests, high neck and long sleeves, all sizes, regular 35c value; sale price, each..... 20c

Infant's Wool Vests, high neck and long sleeves, white only, all sizes; regular 50c qualities, sale price each..... 25c

Infants' Fine Wool Vests, high neck and long sleeves, white only; all sizes; regular $1.00 values. Sale price, each..... 59c

SECOND FLOOR

Cleanup Sale of Lawn Mowers.



An attractive lawn mower is much to the appearance of a home and must be kept in nice condition during the dry weather only by frequent cutting and watering. As the season is getting late we must clean up on lawn mowers and you have the opportunity of saving money as the lawn mower will be just as serviceable next season as this. They are all high grade, are built in the best possible manner, the three cutting blades are of best crucible steel and thoroughly ground. They are made in three sizes priced as follows:

17-inch lawn mower at..... $2.98
14-inch lawn mower at..... $3.98
16-inch lawn mower at..... $4.98

THIRD FLOOR

Boys' $2.50 to $4.50 Wool Suits, $1.98.

A general clearance of all odd and broken lines of boys' all wool knee pant suits; ages range 3 to 16 years. The materials are Cassimeres, Worsteds, Cheviots and Tweeds. Suits in ages 3 to 9 years are made middy style with fancy vests; ages 8 to 16 made reg. double breasted coat with knee pants. This assortment of suits includes wash sailor suits in all the blouse styles, ages 2½ to 12 years; a good assortment of pretty light and dark colorings and patterns. Regular $2.50 to $4.50, special leader at choice..... **$1.98**

Boys' $2.50 Cheviot Suits at $1.49.

A large assortment of these knee pant Cheviot suits in regulation three breasted jacket. They are dark mixtures, and exceptionally well made and perfect fitting; ages 8 to 16; have sold all season at $2.50. Cleanup sale price..... **$1.49**

Cleanup Sale of Baby Cabs and Go-carts.

These are a line of merchandise which are stylish at all seasons, and our only reason for giving them cleanup prices is that we are constantly in receipt of new goods from the factory, and just now have received a shipment which is somewhat overdue for the earlier summer business. Baby carriages and go-carts are such standard articles that a small reduction from regular prices is an actual saving, and one which parents should appreciate. We are sole agents for Los Angeles for the celebrated "Gendron" make of baby vehicles, than which there no better.

Full size rattan body baby carriage, India Cloth removable cushions, large ruffled sateen parasol, patent foot brake, a good value at $7.50, sale price..... **$5.25**

Rattan body baby carriage upholstered in velour, has large sateen parasol with deep ruffle; best steel gearing, 20 and 22 inch rubber tire wheels, patent foot brake; actual $12.50 value; sale price..... **$9.50**

Reclining Go-cart, removable bed cushion, ruffled sateen parasol, patent parasol rod and foot brake, 10 and 20 inch steel wheels; have sold all season at $9.50. Sale price..... **$6.49**

Rattan reclining Go-cart, tapestry upholstering, removable cushions, ruffled sateen parasol, patent rod and foot brake, 10 and 20 inch rubber tire wheels; regular $13.50 value; sale price..... **$10.00**

Your choice of $17.50, $20.00, and $22.50 Baby Carriages upholstered in tapestry and velvet, fitted with rubber tire wheels, patent foot brake and parasol rod; large satin parasol ruffled and lined. Every one of the lot the finest of its kind; only one or two of a pattern; all priced at choice **$15.00**

Very fine rattan body reclining Go-cart, upholstered in corduroy, has removable cushions, large ruffled satin parasol, lined; green enameled gearing, patent foot brake and adjustable parasol rod; 10 and 20 inch rubber tire wheels. This cart has sold all season at $18.50. Sale price..... **$14.95**

Cleanup Sale of Muslin Underwear.

Earlier in the season we demonstrated conclusively that we carried the largest assortment of women's undermuslins and priced lower than could be found at any store in California, excepting none. Another feature of our undermuslins is that they are all made under the best sanitary conditions, most of them bearing the official label of the Consumer's League, that worthy organization of women whose efforts have done so much to ameliorate the condition of the working classes. This sale comprises every line of undermuslins in stock, as the new fall goods are beginning to arrive and all broken lots and odd linens must go.

Ladies' Muslin Drawers of good quality finished with hemstitched tucked ruffle, have sold to now at 35c, priced at..... 25c

Ladies' Cambric Drawers, umbrella style, deep tucked and embroidery trimmed lawn ruffle; regular 75c value, cleanup sale price..... 48c

Ladies' fine Cambric Drawers, umbrella style, deep ruffle trimmed with insertion and lace; regular 98c value. Cleanup sale price..... 68c

Ladies' Muslin Gowns of good quality, some with hemstitched tucked yokes, others with lace, insertion and tucks, also plain allover tucked yokes; all neatly finished with cambric ruffle around neck and sleeves; regular 75c values. Cleanup sale price..... 48c

Ladies' fine Cambric Gowns, made low neck, have elbow sleeves, are nicely finished with valenciennes lace, beading and ribbon; are regular $1.25 values. Cleanup sale price..... 98c

Cambric Corset Covers finished with four rows of lace down front and trimmed with lace around top; regular 35c values. Cleanup sale price..... 25c

Fine Cambric Corset Covers, lace yokes, finished with beading, ribbon and lace around top; regular 75c values. Cleanup sale price..... 50c

Ladies' fine Cambric gowns, Empire style, tucked yokes and reverses trimmed with wide lace and embroidery ruffles; cut extra full and long; are regular $1.50 values. Cleanup sale price..... $1.18

Nainsook Corset Cover, French style, trimmed with fine lace insertion down back and front and finished with beading, ribbons and lace; regular $1.25 values. Cleanup sale price..... 98c

Ladies' Muslin Skirts with deep lawn flounce, finished with tucks, two rows of lace insertion and lace trimmed ruffle; regular $1.48 value. Cleanup sale price..... 98c

Fine Cambric Skirts with deep lawn flounce finished with tucks, two rows of wide lace insertion and wide ruffle, tucked and lace trimmed; also extra dust ruffle; regular $1.95 value. Cleanup sale price..... $1.48

Fine Cambric Skirts with deep lawn flounce finished with three rows of Torchon insertion and tucks; lace trimmed ruffle, also cambric dust ruffle; have sold up to now at $2.25. Cleanup sale price..... $1.68

SECOND FLOOR

Another Grouping of "Tub" Fabric V

So great has been the demand for these elegant textiles inaugurating our semi-annual cleanup sale that almost day we find it necessay to re-group broken lines and in order to get an assortment at a price. No pretense in coloring and pattern, and certainly none of finer have been offered at retail this season in Los Angeles attractive prices. This new grouping for Wednesday is one of the best we have been able to make and shoppers will find some very satisfactory bargains.

About 500 pieces of dress Ginghams in pink and white or blue and white plaids, checks, and stripes; all well adapted for children's wear and the kind which have sold all season at 10c. Sale price per yard..... 6¼c

Assortment of Lawns and Batistes in floral patterns and good colorings; all of fine texture and regular 10c and 12½c values. Cleanup sale price per yard..... 7c

One lot of Madras Ginghams, plain colors and stylish stripes, equally serviceable for shirtwaists and full suits. These were among the best of our 12½c values; priced at per yard..... 8⅓c

Assortment of Lawns and Batistes in the most desirable patterns and colors of the season; a number of these pieces, in fact, were but recently received and have sold regularly up to 15c. Priced at choice per yard... 8⅓c

Assortment of Colored Wash Goods including Mulls, French Batistes and Dimities, all fine imported fabrics the kind that have sold everywhere all season at 25c; priced at per yard.. 15c

Assortment of fine Batiste, number of choice lines in dots and floral patterns. These tiles are actually worth and would be a good should you buy several now and carry over to season as the clearance price per yard is.....

Assortment of fine including French Lawns in white grounds figures; also in good combinations. The French Foulards in patterns, Scotch Ginghams the best styles and actual values from 20c to 75c. Priced for our cleanup sale at per yard.....

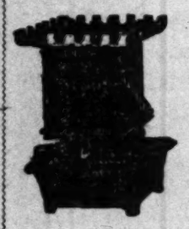
Extra Special.

Assortment of imported textiles including Mousseline de Soie, stripe linen Etamine, tiste in white grounds stripes and French Mulls; all priced for our clearance sale at per yard.....

Summer Kitchen Utensils.

Every house is not supplied with gas or furnished with a gas range. You know how disagreeable it is to stand over a wood or coal range to do cooking in the summer. Also the most convenient kitchen stoves for beach cottages are either gasoline or oil. The three following items are especially attractive values.

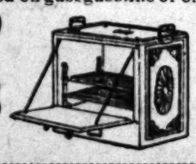
Gasoline Stove — an absolutely safe stove, has brass burner with shut-off on top of tank and enclosed arouud bottom; price for the two burner size..... **$3.98**



"Puritan" Oil Stove — superior to all others; fitted with brass burner and all trimmings are nickle plated; the kind that sells everywhere at $1.25 for the one burner size, we price at..... **89c**

2 Burner "Puritan" Oil Stove $1.78.

Russia Iron Ovens—double lined, they are large enough to hold 9x11 roasting pan and can be used on gas, gasoline or oil stoves; warranted to bake perfectly and an especially good value at..... **$1.29**



4 gallon blue mottled water filter with nickle plated faucet, price..... **$3.98**

THIRD FLOOR

Final Cleanup Sale of Wash Shirtwaists.

White and Colored Waists at or Near to Half Regular Prices.

Nowhere else in Los Angeles will you find such an elegant assortment of wash shirtwaists, for no other dealer carried such a large and complete line. While many of the regular lines have been broken there is still a matchless asssortment of colors and patterns and in the combined lots all sizes. At the prices we ask you to pay you can afford from one to a dozen though you should not wear them out this season.

$1.00 White Shirtwaists at 50c.

50 dozen colored Gingham and Percale shirtwaists finished with tucks and insertion, have detached collars, are in all the new, up-to date styles and actual $1.00 values. Cleanup sale price choice..... **50c**

$1.25 White Lawn Waists at 69c

A matchless assortment of Lawn shirtwaists prettily finished with fine tucks and trimmed with embroidery insertion and lace; some of the daintiest styles of the season; all actual values up to $2.50. Cleanup sale price, choice..... **69c**

$2 White and Colored Shirtwaists at 98c.

An assortment of more than 100 dozens including white Lawn, mercerized Gingham and Percale shirtwaists in desirable patterns and colorings; leading popular styles and have sold all season at $2 00; priced for our Cleanup sale at choice..... **98c**

$2.50 White Lawn Waists at $1.50

Nearly 300 dozen—in fact a larger assortment than can be found in any two local stores. These white lawn shirtwaists are strictly new goods, are prettily trimmed with lace and embroidery, some have allover embroidery fronts; are actual $2 50 values, Cleanup sale price, choice..... **$1.50**

$3.50 White and Colored Waists at $1.98

This assortment includes the finest mercerized and imported Madras waists prettily tailor finished, have stock collars, also a large assortment of white Lawn waists in the most exclusive patterns of the season, all actual $3 50 values, Cleanup sale price, choice..... **$1.98**

SECOND FLOOR

Continuation of Carpet Sale.

Every economical housekeeper in Southern California should be glad of the opportunity that the great Terminal Warehouse fire in New York afforded to have placed right at her doors—the enterprising mercantile house of Hamburger's acting as intermediaries—a sale of carpets direct from the factory at less than mill prices. Some of these goods are slightly damaged—others not at all—but in adjusting losses, the insurance underwriters did not stand for profits. If you need new floor coverings now is the time to buy them and Hamburger's the place.

22½ inch Stair Carpet—of extra heavy grade, double faced, in borders to match, made to sell at 40c. sale price per yard.....

Henrietta Rugs—a fine serviceable rug for any room and especially dinings rooms and for beach cottages; they are in medallion over patterns and have 15 and 18 inch borders all around the center. Prices as follows;

6 x 9 ft. Henrietta Rug $2.29
7½ x 9 ft. Henrietta Rug $2.89
9 x 9 ft. Henrietta Rug $3.49
9 x 10½ ft. Henrietta Rug $4.29
9 x 12 ft. Henrietta Rug $4.89

Smyrna Rugs—extra grade, are closely woven, are perfectly new prices are at least one-third less than regular.

6 x 9 ft. rug worth $7.95 at .....
7½ x 9 ft. rug worth $10 00 at.....
9 x 12 ft. rug worth $15.00 at.....

Assortment of Mattings—While this sale is on we will include special leader for Wednesday a choice line of fine white and fancy mattings, all new fresh goods, are perfectly reversible and are unexcelled for wear, all especially priced at per yard.....